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About Town

And Country

By TIMOTHY T.

Record Number of Babies in 1954, Kiplinger Reports

DID YOU KNOW that more babies were born in the United States in 1954 than in any other year? That one third of all women work?

That Florida's population is growing faster than California's?

That the average bride is 20 years old, and that the average bridegroom is near 24?

That our population will reach the 220 million mark in 1975?

These and other facts have been assembled on population by the Kiplinger Washington Agency.

The birth rate in 1954 was 25.2 per 1,000 women, compared with a pre-war rate of around 19. Peak rate was 28.6 in 1947, when men were just coming back from the war. All signs are that the high rate will continue through the coming year.

Kiplinger says that young women are having more babies, more than their mothers had. There are more second, third and fourth children.

Income levels are not making any difference, Kiplinger says. The rate is about the same at all levels. Farm mothers have the most babies, city mothers the fewest, and the bigger the city, the lower the birth rate. And veterans have more babies than non-vets.

As for marriages, the young marrying people of today were born back in the 30's, and there weren't so many babies being born in those depression days. Consequently there aren't so many of marrying age today.

Kiplinger predicts another big building boom in the early 60's.

"The wave of births in the past 15 years will become a wave of marriages then, creating demand for millions of homes; a bigger boom than at present," he says.

Also, it is pointed out that people are living longer. Fifty years ago the people past 65 years old were 4 per cent; in 1950, they were 8 per cent; 20 years from now the people past 65 will be 11 per cent.

Interesting data, huh?

PATH: Have no definite articles to run yet, but just in case you're wondering what is that place cleared away a couple of miles north of town, I've been informed it is the right-of-way that has been cleared for a new highway into Muddy.

VISIT: I don't know how the weather is going to be today as I'm writing this dissertation yesterday, but our southern Illinois weather looked good to Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Tanner of 107 West Poplar street.

They made a trip to Denver to visit their son, Donald, and family, and while there ran into an 8.6-inch snow. They pulled out as quickly as possible and got right back down here where they could put their foot on good old soil. Maybe a bit muddy, but good old soil.

Pump More Than 43 Million Gallons Water in Reservoir

A total of approximately 43,470,000 gallons of water had been pumped into the city reservoir at 10 a. m. today as a result of rains earlier this week and two of the smaller pumps were still going at that hour.

The 14,500 gallon per minute pump was halted at 1 a. m. today because of the low level of the water in Middle Fork creek. However, the 3,000 gallon per minute pump, started at the same time as the big one, and a 750 gallons per minute pump, started around noon yesterday, were still in operation.

At 10 a. m. water was barely flowing over a small two-foot dam in the creek at the pumping station.

More than 43 million gallons of water, based on winter consumption of water, should add about 52 days to the supply in the reservoir. All except three knolls were covered by water in the north reservoir.

The Weather

ILLINOIS: Fair south, partly cloudy north, a little colder tonight. Friday partly cloudy, chance of local snow flurries extreme north. Low tonight 20-25 south. High Friday 37-44 south.

Local Temperature			
Wednesday	42	Thursday	33
3 p. m.	42	3 a. m.	33
6 p. m.	39	6 a. m.	32
9 p. m.	34	9 a. m.	33
12 mid.	34	12 noon	44

Propose \$181 Per Pupil Aid For Schools

Commission Sets Goals for Legislature; Advise Higher Taxes

CHICAGO (AP) — A state commission has outlined plans to give each public school pupil at least \$181 worth of education a year.

The Illinois School Problems Commission raised the goal for minimum standards by eight dollars in its proposals for 1956-57.

The commission recommended that the Legislature pay in full claims for the 1954-55 period which call for \$173 per pupil.

The commission plan, adopted at a meeting here Wednesday, would require higher local taxes for schools in the coming two-year period.

It would seek a deficiency appropriation of 4 1/2 million dollars to meet claims for the current two-year budget.

In areas that have unit school districts, the minimum school tax levy would be raised 11 cents on each \$100 of property. It would go from 50 to 61 cents.

Districts Must Make Effort

The school tax requirement for districts with separate elementary and high school boards would be 49 cents, nine cents above present rates.

The state aid for schools program in Illinois requires the setting of a minimum level per pupil. It also requires that each district make a minimum tax effort to finance its own schools.

Money from the state treasury makes up any difference a district might need.

In the current budget period, the state has not had sufficient funds to pay the educational claims in full.

The commission chairman, Rep. Charles W. Clabaugh (R-Champaign) said he understands that 30 to 35 million dollars more is now available for school purposes. The current school fund budget is 140 million dollars.

Under the commission plan, some of the added money would be used to make up current deficiencies and some to provide more aid for the next biennium.

In Chicago, however, an estimate was made that the higher local tax requirement would cause a drop of \$10,800,000 in state contributions in 1956-57. School Board Comptroller Alfred E. Bolt made the prediction.

Would Like \$230 Minimum

The commission indicated that the minimum educational spending should be \$230 per pupil a year.

But the group, which is appointed by the governor and the leaders of House and Senate, was unable to find any way of financing such a high standard.

Discussion at Wednesday's day-long meeting included the possibility of more money that would come from a one-cent increase in the sales tax.

Another meeting of the commission was scheduled for Chicago on Jan. 19.

The vote in approving the new proposals was 6-4.

The new formula was supported by State Sens. David Davis (R-Bloomington) and Homer Butler (R-Marion); State Reps. Charles W. Clabaugh (R-Champaign) and Harry W. McClintock (R-West Frankfort); Harold W. Norman, Chicago attorney; and C. J. Schlosser, Alton, an accountant.

Voting against were Mrs. Clifton Utley, Vernon L. Nickel, state superintendent of public instruction; State Rep. Fred J. Smith (D-Chicago); and Lester R. Grim, a leader of the Illinois Education Assn.

Funeral Services Saturday for J. A. Douglas

Funeral services for J. A. Douglas, Harrisburg RFD 2 resident who died yesterday at 9 a. m. of a heart attack, will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Big Ridge Baptist church where he was a member.

Rev. Clayton Humphrey, assisted by Rev. Roy Reynolds, will officiate and burial will be in the Big Ridge cemetery.

Mr. Douglas was born in Saline county Dec. 5, 1875, to the late John and Patsy Douglas. On June 10, 1898, he married the former Hettie Holland who survives him. He was a farmer by occupation.

Besides his wife and eight children, he leaves one brother, Louie Douglas, Indianapolis, Ind., and three sisters, Mrs. Clara Edwards, Mrs. Della Perkins and Mrs. Belle Wilgus, all of Harrisburg, 24 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Two children, one sister and two brothers preceded him in death. The body was taken from the Gaskins funeral home to the residence to lie in state.



L. N. DAVENPORT (center) and his two sons, Tom (left) and Robert, of the Davenport Furniture and Carpet store, formerly the Seten Furniture store. (Daily Register Staff Photo)

Group Drafts Amendment for Court Reform

CHICAGO (AP)—The Joint Committee on Judicial Article has drawn a revised proposed constitutional amendment for Illinois court reform.

Barnabas F. Sears, committee chairman, said Wednesday that 15,000 copies of the draft, a substitute for a proposed amendment which was defeated in the 1953 Legislature, have been mailed to judges and lawyers throughout the state for their suggestions.

The suggestions will be considered and the draft will then be submitted to the Illinois and Chicago Bar Assn. for approval before it is presented to the Legislature. Sears said it was hoped the new draft would overcome earlier objections and would be submitted to the voters in the November 1956 election.

Virtually all the revisions in the proposal have to do with selection of judges on a nonpartisan basis. Original proposals for streamlining courts and simplifying and speeding litigation were little changed.

The system for selecting judges provides for nominating commissions, composed of lawyers appointed by the state Supreme Court and non-lawyers appointed by the governor.

Sears said this system was an improvement over the 1953 draft because it insures the governor would not have power of nomination or appointment of judges and, by having lawyers appointed by the court, removes the criticism that partisan politics were simply being replaced by "bar association politics."

"Since the probationary term provided for in the 1953 draft has been eliminated, no candidate designated by a commission can become a judge unless the voters say he shall become one," Sears said.

He said the new draft also provides that the proposed system for selecting judges be presented to the voters for approval or disapproval at the 1958 general election.

Lowell T. Malan, 43, Brother of Russell Malan, Dies

Lowell T. Malan, 43, brother of Russell Malan, superintendent of the Harrisburg City schools, died at 11:30 Wednesday night at the Marshall Browning hospital in DuQuoin.

He had been ill for several months, underwent surgery during the summer, and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Malan was chemist and preparation engineer for the United Electric Coal company at DuQuoin. He was a resident of DuQuoin, a prominent citizen and family man, survived by his widow, the former Ruth Bulmer, and three children, Fred 12, Martha 8, and John 4. Mrs. Malan is the sister of Dale Bulmer, a salesman who formerly resided in Harrisburg.

In addition to Russell Malan of Harrisburg, another brother, Harris of Ann Arbor, Mich., and their mother, Mrs. C. C. Malan, survive.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at DuQuoin. Meanwhile, the body is at the Schroeder funeral home in DuQuoin.

Seten's to Change Name to Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store Jan. 1

After January 1 the Seten Furniture store will have a new name, the Davenport Furniture and Carpet store.

Announcement was made today by L. N. Davenport, owner and manager of the Seten furniture store, that the name is being changed.

Associated with Mr. Davenport in the operation of the store, on the east side of the Harrisburg square, are two sons, Robert and Tom Davenport.

The Seten furniture store has been a Harrisburg business firm name for approximately a half a century, and L. N. Davenport has been associated with the store for nearly 35 years.

Originally the Ross Seten hardware and furniture store, the hardware and furniture stores were divided around the turn of the century and George W. Seten took over the operation of the Seten Furniture store at the corner now occupied by the Palace Clothing House.

In 1920 George W. Seten sold his store to T. Y. Gregg, Robert Choisser and J. T. Smith. Mr. Smith was manager of the store and hired Mr. Davenport "on a two weeks trial basis" right after the new owners took over. He has been with the store since.

In 1926 Mr. Davenport bought part of the interest of Mr. Smith and became president of the corporation and manager of the store. The store continued in operation at the northeast corner of the square until fire burned the building in 1947. At that time Mr. Davenport bought out the Gregg and Choisser interests from their widows and moved upstairs over Woolworth's, where the store was in operation until February of 1951, when it moved to its present location.

Mr. Davenport announced that the store would continue with its same policies except that more emphasis would be placed on the floor-covering business.

McClusky Rites Held Today

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. today at the Dorrisville Baptist church for Thomas (Bud) McClusky, who died Christmas day in Pontiac, Mich. Rev. D. S. Smith, assisted by Rev. William Fuson, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in Sunset Hill cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Tom Sauls, Earl Boote, William Hancock, Roy Lee McClusky, William Breakey and Carl Millis.

Surviving are his wife, May, and three children: John McClusky and Mrs. Lenora Beaver, of Pontiac, Mich., and Thomas McClusky of Bowling Green, Ky.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He also leaves four sisters, Mrs. Nell Hancock, Mrs. Hazel Alexander, and Mrs. Myrtle Reynolds, Harrisburg, and Mrs. Laura Chauncey of Punta Gorda, Florida, and four brothers, Otto, Horace and Ezra McClusky, Harrisburg, and Harold McClusky, Pontiac, Mich.

First Baby of 1955 in Harrisburg to Be Showered with Gifts in Annual Derby

It's Baby Derby time again in Harrisburg! Who will be the winner in 1955?

Once again The Daily Register, in co-operation with twenty-six Harrisburg merchants, is sponsoring the annual Baby Derby. The merchants have assembled a number of gifts to be showered on the first baby born in 1955 to parents who are residents of Harrisburg township. And the parents will be remembered too!

The officiating doctor must sign a statement giving the exact time and place of birth, the sex, weight and name of the baby and name and address of the parents. This information is to be brought to The Daily Register office as soon as possible after the birth.

Winner of the 1954 Baby Derby didn't arrive until January was half over. A baby boy was born at 11:15 a. m. Jan. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, 817 East Church street.

Here is what the winner will receive from Harrisburg merchants: Pair of Ideal Baby shoes from the Fashion Palace, Hanksraft baby bottle warmer from Skaggs Electric, to mother a pair of Primrose nursing bottles complete and a formula pitcher from Ray's Drugs, a comb and brush set from Jackson's Drug store;

Automatic Hanksraft bottle warmer from Rainbow's Rexall Drug store, Johnson's Deluxe Baby Gift Box from The Webster Pharmacy, a \$2.00 gift certificate from The Lynn Shop, pair of Nite-Life house slippers for mother Polks Shoe store, Playtex Dryer pants set with a box of Dryer pads from Skaggs Pharmacy;

A baby bottle warmer from Barten's Rexall Drug store, a Holmes & Edwards spoon and fork starter set from Winkelman's, a half-dozen diapers from Brokerage, a quart of Dairy Brand milk each day for a month from Dairy Brand, a "Teddy-Tot" baby car seat from Mac's Car and Home Supply;

An all metal kitchen utility table from Crags-DeVillier Furniture, two Lucky Lotto cakes for two weeks from Pankey's Bakery, a dress and suit cleaned and pressed by Brownie, the baby's portrait by The Foster Studio, 50 birth announcements and envelopes from The Register Commercial Department;

A flower arrangement from The Posey Shop, a plastic ruffled bassinet liner from Pett's Furniture and Decorators, solid gold baby ring from W. A. Grant Jewelry Co., a tie for dad from the Palace Clothing House, six delicious barbecues for the parents from Buck's Bar-B-Q and a pair of stretchy socks for dad from Bob Burdett's.

Colder Weather Hits State in Wake of Storms

Weather Bureau Says Temperatures Will Drop Sharply

Cold weather rolled into Illinois today in the wake of Wednesday's snow and ice storm.

At least five deaths were attributed to the bitter weather which hit hardest in the northern two-thirds of the state.

The roads in the northern half of Illinois were slippery today with packed ice and snow, a state report said.

Snow, sleet and freezing rains caused utility failures in some cities, including Bloomington and Decatur. Rural power and telephone lines came down in the freezing rain over widespread areas of central Illinois.

Snow piled 10 inches deep west of Chicago. An eight-inch fall was reported at Rockford and Moline. Peoria got three inches.

Storm Takes Toll

Fatalities blamed on the bad weather included two men killed in accidents on ice-slick highways.

The deaths of Reed K. Cheney, 52, Rockford, and of two men in Chicago were attributed to heart attacks suffered while shoveling snow.

The Weather Bureau reported an approaching cold front would drop temperatures to 18-23 degrees in the southern part of the state by late today and to 10-18 in the north.

Light snow flurries were forecast for the northeast section, which was already blanketed with from 3 to 10 inches.

More snow would push Chicago, which was covered with 3 inches, to a new record for yearly precipitation. The Weather Bureau said the city was within .06 of a new mark.

Roads Are Slippery

State police warned the colder weather would make roads, turned slushy by Wednesday's snow and rain, treacherous for driving.

The snow and sleet was blamed for many automobile accidents. It also cut phone and power service in many communities, disrupted airline schedules and battered homes and buildings.

Chicago's western suburbs reported up to eight inches of snow, while the city itself was hit with a three-inch fall. Suburban Elgin reported 10 inches of snow.

A band of sleet and freezing rain stretched across the central part of the state into Indiana and Michigan.

A truck driver, Leland Camp, 43, Decatur, was killed when his vehicle skidded on U. S. 66 near Joliet.

Trucker Is Killed

Near Lombard David Dykeman, 39, Winfield, was killed when a car struck his truck on a snow-packed road.

Police reported few serious accidents, but said "many" cars and trucks were skidding off highways.

A big truck jackknifed on U. S. 66 near Bloomington and held up one lane of traffic for an hour.

Phone service was disrupted by freezing rains which broke down power lines at La Place, Pawnee, Chatham, Divernon, Potomac, Pittsfield, Quincy, Clinton and Shelbyville.

Vast Storm is Blamed for 55 Deaths in Nation

By United Press

A furious winter storm swept into the northeast today while another earthquake rocked Eureka, Calif., and floods threatened Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania.

In the last 24 hours, the weather had brewed an incredible mixture of blizzards, sleet, rain, heavy snow, sub-zero temperatures and a tornado in various parts of the country.

The vast storm system which paralyzed portions of the Southwest Wednesday was blamed for a total of 55 deaths. They included 26 killed in traffic, 4 who froze or died of exposure, 11 who died of heart attacks or exertion, 5 in miscellaneous accidents and 9 in the crash of an Air Force plane in an Alabama squall.

The Ohio, Monongahela and Allegheny rivers, fed by melting snow and 24 hours of rain, swirled toward flood stage at Pittsburgh's Golden Triangle and in Western Pennsylvania.

Residents of low-lying sections near the rivers were alerted by police. Wharf parking areas were closed where the Allegheny and Monongahela joined to form the Ohio.

Grant Plea for New Evidence For Dr. Sheppard

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — Common Pleas Judge Edward Blythin today granted Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard an opportunity to present "newly-discovered evidence" that he claims would prove he did not kill his wife.

The motion for a new trial based on such evidence was introduced by Atty. William J. Corrigan. Judge Blythin granted a hearing on the motion for Saturday, Jan. 8. He took under advisement two other defense motions for a new trial, one based on 41 alleged judicial errors, the other on newspaper coverage of the case that was "prejudicial" to the defendant.

Dr. Sheppard was allowed to remain at County Jail pending outcome of the Jan. 8 hearing. The judge said he would not take any "hasty action" in dispatching the 31-year-old brain surgeon to Ohio Penitentiary to start serving his life sentence.

The two-week delay was granted when Corrigan said his case was not completed for court presentation. Judge Blythin said he would rule on the other two motions soon, possibly Friday.

The appeals hearing was delayed 25 minutes while Dr. Sheppard shaved. Corrigan said it was unimportant that the defendant attend the session, scheduled to start at 9:30 a. m., but Judge Blythin insisted on Dr. Sheppard's presence.

Corrigan did not call as witnesses two of the five persons he had subpoenaed.

One of the two new motions for Judge Blythin's consideration was based on claim that newspaper coverage of the celebrated case was prejudicial. The other, based on "newly discovered evidence," was said to include the claim that an unidentified suspect who previously was cleared of the crime was driving his automobile in the neighborhood of the Sheppard home about 2 a. m. on the murder morning, shortly before Marilyn Sheppard was bludgeoned to death.

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A Communist-led parliamentary maneuver forced delay on WEU but he rammed through a confidence vote on NATO anyway, and then summoned the deputies into session again at 5 p. m. today.

Sullenly and wearily the deputies responded.

Today there were no speeches.

Issue Three Oil Drilling Permits

Three oil well permits have been issued at Springfield for tests in Eldorado township. They are: Richard W. Portis, Evansville, for the Lassater No. 1, SW corner of the NE quarter of Section 15, 8S7E;

Gulf Refining Co., Tulsa, Okla., for the Blanche Jackson No. 1, SE corner of the NW quarter of the NE quarter of Section 10, 8S7E;

Calvert Drilling, Inc., Olney, for the Vangampella No. 3, SW corner of the NW quarter of the NE quarter of Section 11, 8S7E.

St. Clair Bound Over to Grand Jury

Raymond C. St. Clair, arraigned before Justice of the Peace Vern Joyner yesterday afternoon on a charge of forgery, was bound over to await the action of the grand jury and his bond was set at \$5,000. He was returned to the Saline county jail.

St. Clair was arrested Tuesday and admitted he had falsified claims for his own benefit at the Unemployment Compensation office here, where he had been employed for a short time.

West European Union Okayed By 287-260 Vote

Action Saves Gov't of Premier Mendes-France

PARIS (AP) — France today approved the West European Union which will put 500,000 West German troops under arms.

The vote saved the government of Premier Pierre Mendes-France and cleared the way for a united Western front against possible Communist aggression.

The official vote was 287-260.

France reached its agonizing decision four years and eight governments after the allies first decided to invite the West Germans into a defensive alliance.

Today's vote putting new muscle into the Western alliance which now will stretch unbroken from Turkey to the Baltic climaxed 11 days of debate in which the torn and fearful French Assembly demonstrated repeatedly its fears of any alliance with its ancient enemy.

Most Nations Already Approved

Great Britain already has approved the union (WEU), as has the Italian Chamber of Deputies. It has gone through an early reading in the German Bundestag and is in various stages of approval in the Netherlands and Belgium. Luxembourg will approve after its Benelux neighbors.

Final approval by all nations early in 1955 now is regarded as certain.

It adds 12 German divisions to Gen. Alfred Gruenther's NATO land forces, now training on the basis of atomic weapons.

It permits for the first time the Western allies to negotiate without uncertainty with the Russian bloc—possibly as early as next May in a four-power meeting already proposed by Mendes-France.

Debate Lasted 11 Days

Debate had been scheduled to last four days. It dragged on for 11.

Arrayed against the premier was a solid bloc of 94 Communists committed to a bitter-end fight to prevent a Western front against Russia and her satellites.

Strange bedfellows but voting with the Reds were the extreme rightists represented by the followers of Gen. Charles de Gaulle. Others voted against the premier either because his roughshod tactics had antagonized them or out of irritation because he had refused to support their earlier fight for EDC.

Among the latter was former Premier and Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, an all-out champion of European unity but a disappointed sponsor of EDC.

Premier Coaxes Vote

Under the Mendes-France whip-lash, the Assembly plodded slowly and reluctantly toward final approval.

He made the deputies vote twice on approval of German entry into NATO, and he told them that if they approved NATO membership for the Germans they could not at the same time refuse them arms.

He warned that the United States and Britain had lost patience and would not sit down again with France to seek still a third solution for European unity.

He said France would stand alone and discredited.

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Court House to Close Tomorrow

The court house will be closed tomorrow, New Year's Eve, it was announced today.

Leo Davis, drivers' license inspector, said that his office on South Main street will close at noon tomorrow.

Purchase Property

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gidcomb have purchased the two-story brick residence that belonged to the late Robert Horning on South Main street and plan to move into their new home about the middle of January. Purchase was made from the Horning heirs. Mr. and Mrs. Gidcomb and family now reside at 1111 South Webster street.

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Peabody

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Are not five sparrows sold for
two farthings and not one of them
is forgotten before God. Fear not
therefore, ye are of more value
than many sparrows.—Luke 12:6, 7.
Sparrows moult wing feathers in
pairs, one from each wing. Other-
wise they would be the prey of their
enemies. God was not forgetful.

If you have a wall-window com-
bination that demands draperies all
the way across, make the drapes in
six or eight small sections, slip-
stitched together. When one spot
or needs washing, it can be taken
down by itself, rather than an en-
tire heavy drape.

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★ EDSON IN WASHINGTON ★

New Congress Will Not Have Many Dull Moments

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON —(NEA)—There
are plenty of good fights on the
winter sports card of the 84th
Congress. It may produce nothing
as rough or as long-drawn-out as
the McCarthy bout of the past
year. But for good clean political
"rasslin'" matches, the next ses-
sion will be anything but dull.

Many of these bouts may start
issues. But these preliminaries are
only curtain-raiser to battles
royal that will grow out of them.

For instance: Foreign affairs
are supposed to be nonpartisan and
noncontroversial. Hanging fire as
unfinished business before the
Senate are ratification of the
Manila agreement on Southeast
Asia defense, the mutual assis-
tance pact with Formosa and the
Paris agreements for admission of
Germany to the North Atlantic
Treaty Organization.

All these treaties should be ap-
proved as a matter of routine
business. But they open up the
much larger question of foreign
aid. And a brawl can be started on
this subject any time.

Last year Congress recommend-
ed that plans be made for liqui-
dation of the Foreign Operations Ad-
ministration. Its authority ex-
pires by June 30, 1955. But a new
and possibly expanded aid-for Asia
program is being prepared for
submission to the new Congress.
The odds against a victory for
this plan are tremendous.

Another example is provided by
the reciprocal trade agreements
program. The law expires next
June 12, after a one-year extension
approved by the last Congress.
In going after a three-year exten-
sion or permanent authority to
contingent its provisions, the Eisen-
hower administration must present
a completely coordinated program
of foreign economic policy. Full
congressional hearings must be
held this year. And bitter battles
reminiscent of the old tariff wars
must be fought to get this program
adopted.

National defense fights are ex-
pected to take up a good bit of
time in the new Congress. The draft
law expires next June 30. A simple
extension under present terms
might not be too hard to pass.
But in taking up this subject,
the Congress must explore the new
Department of Defense manpower
and reserve policy. This calls for
universal military training as
originally conceived, but for some-
thing akin to it. And that means a
war of words.

If the new reserve program
should be put into effect, it will
mean cutting down on the size of
the regular armed forces. That will
tap another hornet's nest. For the
Democrats have been critical of the
Republican administration's cur-
tailment of defense spending—par-
ticularly on the Air Force. So the
whole question of the military bud-
get and military policy must be
explored.

Along with this and the consid-
eration of the foreign military assis-

tance program, Sen. William F.
Knowland (R., Calif.) may have a
chance to get in his suggested com-
plete reappraisal of American
foreign policy. The Democrats
would probably help him.

On the domestic front, labor leg-
islation is always good for a hassle
and next year should be no excep-
tion, with the Democrats again in
control of Congress. It will be a
three-phase battle at least. Phase I—
Whether or not to revise the
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Christmas family get-togethers
in this community were reported
as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Inman Tate and
son, James, had dinner with a cousin,
Mrs. Maggie Summers of Dale.

Bill McElrath and family and his
sister, Mrs. Gladys Dehart and chil-
dren and Mrs. Allen Allen and hus-
band were guests of their parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElrath of
Harrisburg. Others attending were
Mrs. Rose McElrath and children,
Mrs. Ollie Clayton and Mrs. Pearl
Allen.

Mrs. Lucy Holland had Christmas
dinner with her son, Paul and fam-
ily, who with the following had
supper with his mother: Arthur
Holland, Elmer Holland, Carl Web-
ber, Rev. Rudolph Barnett and
their families and Everett Taylor.

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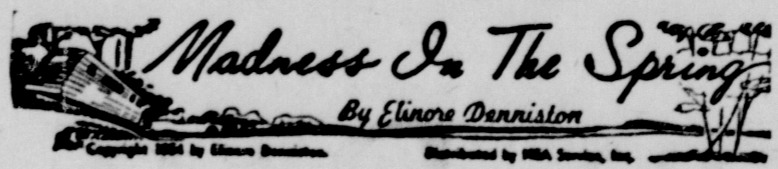
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When Horace Crain came to the
end of his speech, Kirby stepped
forward again. "And now," he
cried enthusiastically, "we'll turn
back the clock and give you a day
in Dead Man's Gulch." There was
a pistol shot and the parade start-
ed to move. The covered wagon
pursued by Indians, a mimic stage-
coach robbery punctuated by blank
cartridges; cowboys doing fancy
riding; somewhere toward the end
of the procession Hannah rode
alone followed to her immense sur-
prise by whistles. When the pa-
rade had streamed past the win-
dows, Daggett saw Rupert holding
forth to a group of dazzled women
and an oldtimer selling minia-
ture covered wagons that were to
be used as elegant boxes.

The passing crowd blurred, be-
came dreamlike. "The time of my
life," Daggett thought contentedly.
At some point he dozed and real-
ized it when he opened his eyes
to see the lengthening shadows
and Greg once more at his side.
Quite a little group had collected,
among them the Crains and Rupert
and Kirby. Hannah stood by her-
self in the background. Daggett
experienced an old man's embar-
rassment at being caught napping.

Crain was beaming. "Wonderful
place you've got here, Mr. Daggett.
I'd have come just to meet you.
Want to know what you've got that
brought out that young man of
mine. I've already had some tele-
grams. The first reactions are tre-
mendous." He turned to his wife.
"Millicent, my dear, my public
relations man suggests you stroll
down the road with him and meet
some of these good people."

His wife gave him her slow,
lovely smile. "If you want me to
appear at the dance tonight," she
said gently, "a touch of steel in
her voice, 'I must have some rest
now. I shall be in my room for
the next couple of hours and I
do hope it won't be necessary to
disturb me.'"

Hannah's eyes followed the
graceful woman thoughtfully as
she went out of the lobby and up
the stairs of the hotel. She could,
as she had supposed, learn a great
deal from Greg's mother.

Crain watched his wife with an
expression of pride and pleasure.
He turned back to Daggett. "My
boy here," he patted Greg's
shoulder, "has come across in fine
fashion."

"It was all Mr. Daggett," Greg
said.

If the day had been noisy, the
night was wild. A gun fight care-
fully stage-managed competed with
the music of the square dances.

Everyone was having a wonderful
time.

Greg looked in at the dance hall.
Rupert was dancing with Millicent
Crain. Greg looked around for
Hannah but she was not there.

Hannah was probably with Kirby
though Greg had expected Kirby
to be in the center of a crowd some-
where. Kirby had surprised him.
He'd been so good at his job, light-
hearted, quick-witted, with an in-
fectious kind of enthusiasm that
generated more of the same.

Then the door opened and Han-
nah made a spectacular appear-
ance, wearing a trailing Lillian
Russell dress of dark red velvet,
her hair piled in little curls on her
head, a big plumed hat glancing
over one eye, glamorous, glowing.

Greg was lost in the stampede.
It was late before he had a chance
to dance with Hannah and then he
was not sure that he enjoyed it.
He held her in his arms but the
body he held was encased in a
rigid corset. Hannah was remote
in other ways, too. She did not
ask about his trip. She did not
apologize for having left the old
man. Her attention was on the
crowded floor, not on him.

At last Greg said sulkily, "I'll
be pulling out tomorrow."

"Uncle Wade told me,"
Greg was outraged. "Don't you
care?" When she made no reply
he said crossly, "I wish you'd take
off that confounded hat. I can't
see your face." They were near
the door and he led her outside.

"It's hot in here. Let's walk."
"I don't want to," Hannah ob-
jected. "I'd ruin this trailing skirt."

Greg was taken aback. To the
best of his knowledge, she had in-
variably agreed to any suggestion
that was made to her. He picked
her up, lifted her onto the seat of
the covered wagon and scrambled
up beside her. Lights from the
ballroom made her bare shoulders
look like thick cream, but her face
was still in shadow.

"What are you figuring on do-
ing?" he asked as the silence
lengthened.

"I want to get married," Han-
nah said simply.

"Well, for heaven's sake!" Greg
loosened his collar. "Why couldn't
you say so? Do you want one of
those fussy public weddings so you
can furnish your house by black-
mailing other people into giving
you presents, or just a private
one?"

She pulled off the big hat and
dropped it on her lap. He could
see her face now, the eyes huge
and shadowy, Rossetti eyes, the
mouth full and warm and sweet.
"If that is supposed to be a pro-

Eureka, Calif., Area Again Hit By Earthquake

EUREKA, Calif. (AP)—A sharp
earthquake rocked the Eureka area
today, breaking windows and wid-
ening cracks in buildings jolted by
a strong tremor just before Christ-
mas.

The quake, felt at about 1:13 a.
m., was strong enough to rouse
thousands of residents in Eureka
and surrounding communities. Po-
lice and sheriff's deputies said they
were "swamped" with calls.

Residents in Arcata, a small town
about seven miles northeast of Eu-
reka, reported the quake broke
windows that they had replaced
only a few days ago because of the
Dec. 21 quake.

The Dec. 21 quake caused an es-
timated two million dollars damage
in Eureka and the surrounding area.
One man was killed and several
score persons were injured.

Hanging is the only method of
capital punishment in the state of
Washington.

posals," she said breathlessly, but
with a hint of steel in her voice,
"you'll have to do better than
that."

Down the dusty road a man staggered,
talking loudly to himself.
"A woman always has her revenge
ready. Moliere," Kirby declaimed
to the night. "Every woman should
marry and no man. Disraeli. A
woman is necessarily an evil. Me-
nander."

Greg laughed. "Benedict the
married man. Shakespeare." He
took her in his arms.

THE END

NOTICE:

MILO LAMBERT, JR.

Will Be Associated with Mr. Ira Craggs

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Beginning Monday, January 3rd.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME

on and after January 1, 1955

THE SETEN FURNITURE STORE will be Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store

It has been the privilege of L. N. Davenport, proprietor of The Seten Furniture Store, to serve the many friends and customers of this store for 35 years. First as an employee of The Seten Furniture Store, Inc. and for several years as President and Manager of The Seten Furniture Company, Inc.

In 1947 L. N. Davenport purchased the entire interests of The Seten Furniture Company, Inc., which has since been known as The Seten Furniture Store.

The management of the business is now under the supervision of L. N. DAVENPORT, ROBERT S. DAVENPORT and THOMAS E. DAVENPORT and on and after January 1, 1955 the business will be known as:

Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store

There will be no change in the policies of the business and it will be our sincere aim to continue to sell the latest styles and finest qualities of furniture and carpets at the lowest possible prices.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you, our customers and friends, for your loyal patronage during the years that have passed and to solicit your continued confidence that has enabled us to progress thus far.

May the Year of 1955 be one of complete JOY, HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY for you all.

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Social and Personal Items

Miss Paula Jo Holland, Max Eugene Swan Wed at Union Chapel Church



Mr. and Mrs. Max Eugene Swan

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holland of the Dorris Heights community are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Paula Jo, to Max Eugene Swan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swan, 511 South Main.

The double ring wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Vola Sittig in the Union Chapel Cumberland Presbyterian church on Christmas eve at 7:30.

The scene for the wedding was a white arch entwined with palms with baskets of white gladioli at each side, flanked with candelabra containing 14 lighted candles. Palm leaves served as a background.

The bride, escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, chose a ballerina length gown of white lace and net fashioned with a lace bolero with long sleeves tapering to a point over the hand. Her veil of illusion was secured to a tiara of seed pearls. She wore a single strand of pearls at the V-shaped neckline and carried on a white Bible, which was a gift of the bridegroom, a pink orchid with lily of the valley on satin streamers. She also carried a white linen and lace handkerchief which was a gift of a friend. The bride wore the traditional "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue," the old being a silver coin from a collection of money belonging to her grandfather, the late William E. McElroy.

Miss Mary Alice Holland, sister of the bride, wore a pink net and lace gown with a pink net and taffeta petal pleated headband. She carried a colonial bouquet of white chrysanthemums and rose buds.

Darlene Guey, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Guey, was flower girl, dressed in a green taffeta ankle length gown with matching head piece. She sprinkled rose petals in the path of the bride.

Candlelighters were Linda Riegel and Judy McElrath who were matching dresses of pink net and taffeta with headbands of pleated net.

The father of the bridegroom

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Miss Grace Hiller Hostess To First Baptist Bethany Class

The Bethany class of the First Baptist church met with the teacher, Mrs. Grace Hiller, recently for a Christmas party. Mrs. Barbara McDowell was co-hostess.

As the guests entered they were served hot cranberry punch. The Hiller living room was beautifully decorated in keeping with the yuletide spirit. Preceding the party the members had presented a program of Christmas carols on radio station WEBQ.

The devotion was given by Mrs. McDowell who spoke on the "Second Christmas." Games were played and gifts exchanged after which refreshments were served. Favors of orange dolls were given to each member. The following were present: Mrs. Georgia Abney, Mrs. Jean Boyett, Mrs. Betty Cook, Mrs. Mary Lou Doerge, Mrs. Maxine King, Mrs. Anna Fay McSparin, Mrs. Jean Parker, Mrs. Betty Rose, Mrs. Leona Sutton, Mrs. Joyce Becker, Mrs. Marjory Brannock, Mrs. Winnie Butler, Mrs. Carla Cape, Mrs. Barbara Feazel, Mrs. Geneva Gibbs, Mrs. Amanda Mitchell, Mrs. Anita Morrison, Mrs. Marygrove Sowers, Evelyn Fletcher, Miss Marjorie Miller, and a guest, Miss Frances Cummins, who accompanied the members on their radio program.

Liberty Baptist Church Organizes G. A. Group

Recently the young girls from the ages of 9 to 13 met at the Liberty church with their counselors, Miss Wanda Pyles, Mrs. George Pyles, Mrs. Cummins and two of her young girls, Miss Dixie Endsley and Miss Sally Smith, to organize a club.

Following this meeting a mother and daughter banquet was held with Miss Wanda Pyles explaining what G. A. stood for and answered any questions the group had. The following were installed as officers: President, Dixie Owen; vice president, Karen Winkelman; secretary and treasurer, Ann Morrow; program chairman, Gynelle Bristow, and community mission chairman, Carolyn Douglas. Other members were Peggy Douglas and Phyllis Hull.

The counselor, Miss Wanda Pyles, was then hostess to a Christmas party and regular meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Dixie Owen, and the minutes were read by the secretary, Ann Morrow. Topics were given by Ann Morrow, Dixie Owen and Karen Winkelman. The group sang "We've a Story to Tell," "O Come All Ye Faithful," and "Joy to the World."

A short party followed and refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. George Pyles.

Mr. and Mrs. Nosh Givens celebrated their wedding anniversary Wednesday with a dinner which was attended by her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Harris, and her cousins, Mrs. Nova Hawk, Mrs. John Hutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maynard. Her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weir, Raleigh, were here to spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Givens.

One hundred and twenty five guests attended a reception held in the lower rooms of the Dorris Heights school which was beautifully decorated in keeping with the yuletide spirit. The reception table was centered with a three tiered cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and surrounded with pink rose buds, evergreens and pink Christmas balls. The table was placed against a background of white with evergreens and pink and green balls.

The bride's table was covered with a hand made Chinese silk cloth, and the gift table was centered with a small snow-sprayed Christmas tree with pink decorations.

Hostesses were Mrs. Hazel Anderson, Mrs. Dean Guey, Mrs. Hazel McElrath, and Mrs. Mabel Pankey, Mrs. Wilma Gideumb and Mrs. Lavern Sittig.

The bride and groom are now at home in Dorris Heights in a house formerly occupied by the bride's grandmother.

Both are graduates of the Harrisburg Township high school with the class of 1954. Mrs. Swan is employed as cashier and record librarian at the Lightner hospital, and Mr. Swan is with the Kroger store in Harrisburg.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pankey, Vienna, Rev. Albert Burris, Belknap, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stone, Collinsville, Rev. Lester Laur, Coulterville, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Drott, East St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kendall, Marion, A 3-c Everett Taylor of Mountain Home, Idaho, who is on a furlough, and Donald C. Upchurch S. A. who is stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training base.

Also among the guests were the two grandmothers of the bride, Mrs. W. E. McElroy and Mrs. Lucy Holland and a great-great aunt, Mrs. Martha E. Burris of Vienna, and the bridegroom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Swan.

Miss Sherry Hensley Engaged To Wed Donald Chambers



The engagement of Miss Sherry Hensley and Donald Robert Chambers is being announced by Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hensley. The wedding is tentatively planned upon the completion of his cadet class training in the United States Air Force when he will receive his commission as a second lieutenant with pilot training.

The bride-to-be graduated from the Harrisburg Township high school and attended MacMurray college at Jacksonville.

Mr. Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Everett Chambers Sr., is also a graduate of the Harrisburg Township high school and attended two years at the University of Illinois where his fraternity was Alpha Delta Phi. He also attended one year at Southern Illinois university. He received his pilot license to fly at the age of seventeen.

Carrier Mills Register

Kenneth Hart Correspondent

DISTRIBUTE 42 CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Forty-two Christmas baskets were distributed in Carrier Mills last week by members of the IOOF and Rebekahs of Carrier Mills.

Aiding the two organizations in this worthy enterprise were Wolf's Bottling company and Pankey's Bakery, both of Harrisburg, and Lewis Brothers Bakery of Anna.

The committee in charge of arrangements consisted of Hillis Mathews, Raymond Davidson and James Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Chase Jr. and children, Terry and Gary, of Evansville, Ind., returned home last week after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mallory and sons, Dickie and Riekie, of Evansville, Ind., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase over the week end. On Christmas day they were joined by Mrs. Glendall Chase and son, Freddie, of Vienna, and later in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Greer and daughter, Gail, of Ridgway.

Mrs. Glendall Chase and son, Freddie, and Mrs. Jade Crews of Vienna visited Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hammond and children, Clara and Mary, and Mrs. Ellen Watson spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oglesby and family.

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WSIL-TV Program Channel 23

THURSDAY - P. M.
5:40-Information Bureau
5:55-Weather Vane
6:00-Cactus Pete
6:30-Lucky Lefty
6:45-Front Page
7:00-International Playhouse
7:30-Amos 'n Andy
8:00-Heart of the City
8:30-T Men in Action
9:00-Stop the Music
9:30-Ford Theatre
10:00-Family Playhouse
11:00-Sign Off

FRIDAY
10:00-Here's Lucky Show
10:30-It's Fun to Draw
11:00-Coffee Club
11:45-Film
12:00-Sign Off
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7:00-Ray Bolger Show
7:30-The Vise
8:00-Western Carnival
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8:45-Western Playhouse
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Long Branch

By Mrs. Lloyd M. Oglesby

A special watch service will be held at the Long Branch Baptist church Friday night. Every one is welcome.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Ward spent Christmas day in Dellfield, Ill., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riddle of Gary, Ind., is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Tate and family.

John D. Adams has gone to Murfreesboro, Tenn., to visit relatives and friends during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Allison of St. Louis spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Edwards and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

Rev. Bluford Sloan and family spent Christmas eve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sloan and family, and left Christmas day for Texas for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pemberton and family arrived Monday to visit with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

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J. C. Durham, who is working in Chicago, is spending the holidays with his family at his home near Hamburg.

Only 27 Per Cent To Benefit from Military Pay Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—Only about 27 per cent of the Army's enlisted men would benefit from the military pay raises President Eisenhower will submit to Congress next month.

The reason is that no pay boosts will be given to officers and men having less than two years service. But those with longer service will get raises ranging from 123 per cent of the Army's officers and to all but an estimated 18,000 Navy personnel and 200,000 Air Force men.

The military pay raise, plus some new "fringe benefits," will cost the taxpayers about 750 million dollars a year, but this could be offset largely by the 403,000 man cut the President has ordered in the size of the armed forces.

The administration also plans to ask Congress for pay increases for classified Civil Service workers which will cost about 202 million annually, plus raises for postal workers. The amount of the increase for the postal workers was not specified.

Special Watch Service Friday Night at Carrier Mills Baptist Church

Christians' Hour To Begin Over WEBQ Sunday at 6 p. m.



Ard Hoven

The Christians' hour, "New Testament Christianity on the Air," will begin broadcasting over WEBQ Sunday, Jan. 2, at 6 p. m. The program is sponsored by the Christian churches of Harrisburg and Eldorado where Rev. Glen Daugherty and Rev. Loren Griffith, respectively, are ministers. The Christians' Hour is in its 12th year and is being broadcast over 47 stations from coast to coast, including an outlet in Hawaii and Brazil.

Ard Hoven of the Broadway Christian church in Lexington, Ky., has served as speaker on the program since its inception in 1943.

Post Office to Halt Delivery Of 'Junk Mail'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield announced today that postal distribution of so-called "junk mail" will be discontinued at midnight next March 31.

The so-called "junk mail" was started on an experimental basis 15 months ago. It permitted third class advertising matter to be sent without names and addresses in cities and villages. The advertising matter could be marked merely "boxholder," "householder" or "patron."

"The results have not satisfactorily met these objectives and the only possible solution is increased postage rates which will be sought in the next session of the Congress," Summerfield said.

The unaddressed mail brought a flood of protests. Sen. Frank Carlson (R-Kan.), retiring chairman of the Senate Post Office committee, recently recommended that Summerfield scrap the order.

The Post Office said that discontinuance of its order will not effect delivery of unaddressed mail on rural routes or to post office box-holders where no city or village delivery service is available. Also continued will be delivery in cities and villages of mail addressed to "occupant" but bearing a proper street address. These services have been in effect since 1934.

Godfrey Wishes Marion Marlowe 'All the Best'

NEW YORK (AP)—Arthur Godfrey appeared on television Wednesday night with Marion Marlowe, fiancée of the man he fired a few hours earlier, and wished her "all the best."

Godfrey, who sometimes fires his help in a rather public manner—like a coast-to-coast television hook-up—Wednesday dropped Larry Puck as producer of his Wednesday night television show.

The apparently unexpected dismissal came shortly after Miss Marlowe began flashing a 6 1/2 carat diamond engagement ring Puck had given her at Christmas.

Godfrey denied that romance within "his family" was the cause of the firing and said Puck had asked to be relieved of the Wednesday night show because he was overworked.

"Do I Look Sick?" However, when Puck was asked why he was dropped he said: "Damned if I know. Do I look sick. I look pretty good, don't I?"

Puck confirmed he was engaged to Miss Marlowe, 25, and said he didn't learn he was fired until he returned from a vacation in Bermuda and Florida Tuesday night.

In 1953 Godfrey got into hot water with his public when he fired singer Julius La Rosa during a television show.

At the time Godfrey denied he fired the popular La Rosa because of a romance between him and Dorothy McGuire, member of a sister trio that appears on Godfrey's programs.

Archie Bleyer was removed as musical director of the Godfrey show at the same time and later married Janet Ertel, a former singer on Godfrey's programs.

New Year Party Tonight By Salvation Army

C. C. Porter will present a magician show at a special program at the Salvation Army's New Year party tonight at 7:30 in the Salvation Army hall, 512 West Locust. The public is invited and there will be candy treats, oranges and apples for those who attend.

Nicotine in tobacco ranges from two to seven per cent in the raw product.

Your Friday's Lunch... SALMON LOAF hollandise sauce... 60c with scalloped potatoes, cabbage and carrot salad, roll and butter.

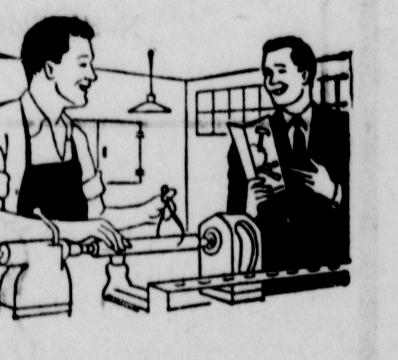
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Sentence Man At Benton; Two Sailors Fined

BENTON, Ill.—Three men jailed Tuesday for causing a tavern disturbance and attacking arresting officers today pleaded guilty to resisting arrest.

Billy Ray Grieves, 25, was sentenced to a year at Vandalia State Penal Farm. Thomas Grieves his brother, and William Valerius, 20, two sailors on leave, were fined \$200 and \$15 costs each. They were released after paying fines and went back to naval duty.

William Spiller, 21, in Marion Veterans Hospital with a chest wound, must still stand trial on a similar charge. All four were from Elkhart.



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A beautiful pair of those famous Nite-Life House Shoes. . . . Everyone knows they're the most comfortable and longer lasting of the slippers. Our very best wishes to Harrisburg's first baby.



North Side of the Square



Say, That Kitchen

may get cluttered, what with extra bottles, nipples, etc., so here's a colorful, useful all metal kitchen utility table from your friendly furniture store—

Craggs-DeViliez

Clinic Building—Harrisburg



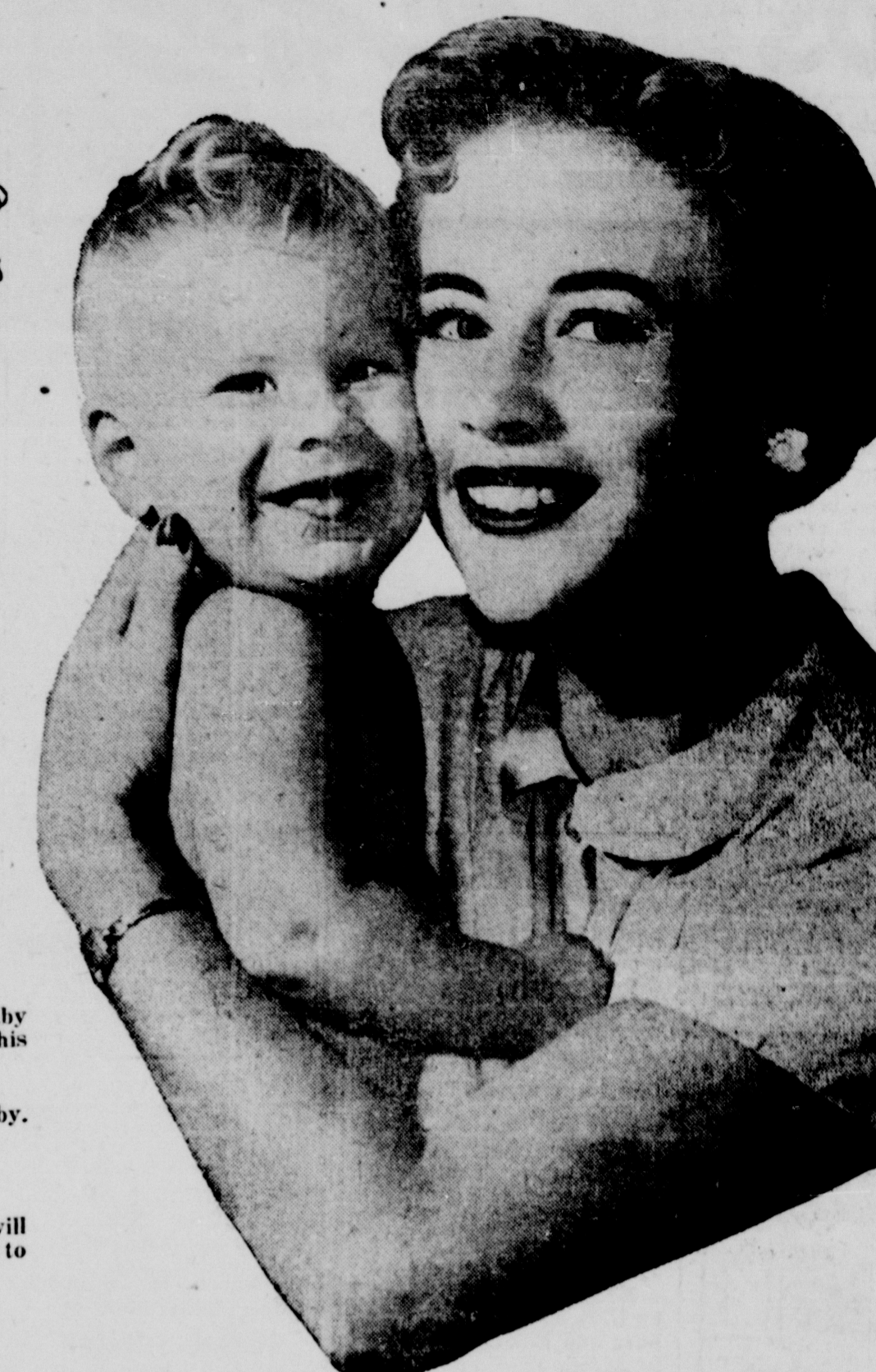
WHO'LL BE THE FIRST BABY OF 1955!



CONTEST RULES:

Once again the Daily Register, in cooperation with 26 Harrisburg merchants, presents the annual Baby Derby, to honor the first baby born in the New Year. A wealth of wonderful gifts have been contributed by these merchants to welcome the Derby winner again this year . . . gifts for the baby, for mom, and for dad.

1. Have your physician attach his signature to a statement showing the date, hour, minute, and place of birth, sex and weight of the baby.
2. Include the name of the baby and the name and address of the parents.
3. Contest limited to RESIDENTS of Harrisburg Township only.
4. Information should be brought to The Daily Register as soon as possible. The baby born first after midnight on Jan. 1st, 1954, will be declared the winner of the 1954 Baby Derby, and the parents will be presented with a certificate at the Register, entitling them to the big array of gifts provided by Harrisburg merchants. Name of the winner will be announced in The Daily Register.



FOR POP . . .

From the "Main Tailors, Hatters and Haberdashers on Main Street"

A Pair of S-T-R-E-T-C-H WOOL SOCKS

It's our pleasure to be sure Pop's feet are warm when he gets up during those late hour feedings.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MOTHER, FATHER, AND THE FIRST BABY . . .

Bob Burnette
The Main Tailors—HATTERS
HABERDASHERS on Main St.



The Proper Beginning

. . . unless baby is born with a silver spoon in its mouth, is this lovely Holmes & Edwards spoon and fork starter set, with our sincere compliments.

REMEMBER FOLKS, IT'S

WINKLEMAN'S



Sugar-Booger or Bean-Snapper?

. . . whichever the new arrival may be, Pankey's Bakery has two of those delicious Lucky LeRoy Cakes of the Week for two weeks, for mom, dad, and the rest of the family.

PANKEY'S

Baked Fine Since 1909



For the First Appearance

. . . here's a plastic ruffled hassinetto liner. Fancy, to be sure, but the correct thing for the first baby born in 1955. To the parents, our congratulations and the best of luck in the years ahead.

Petty

FURNITURE and DECORATORS
Phone 747 3 South Jackson



To Help Meet Emergencies

. . . there's always one item in demand: diapers, and here's a half-dozen fine snowy white diapers with our sincere congratulations to the winner's family.

BROKERAGE



For Mom and Dad

We'll Clean and Press
A Suit and Dress!

Best Wishes From

BROWNIE



The Best of Everything

To the '55 winner, and with our compliments goes a Playtex Dryper panty set with a box of Dryper pads for quick, easy changes.

SKAGGS PHARMACY

South Side Square



When the Winner Is Announced

. . . the Posy Shop will welcome the mother and child with a beautiful flower arrangement, presented with our heartiest best wishes.

DAVENPORT'S
POSY
SHOP
212 W. Locust St. Phone 115W

Our Gift to the Young Winner

We will present a Comb and Brush set in a beautiful lucite case to Harrisburg's first baby in 1955.

We have a large selection of baby needs.

JACKSON'S DRUG STORE



Mom Gets Our Gift

A wonderful pair of those beautiful Prim hose. They're the best and she will boast to the family of her gift from us. Our congratulations to the new number one of Harrisburg and the proud parents.

ARENSMAN'S



To Announce the Arrival

. . . the Daily Register's commercial printing department will supply 50 birth announcements and envelopes.

Register Commercial Department

If You Have to Take a Trip

Rainbow's is proud to present an automatic Hanks-craft bottle warmer, to keep baby's bottle warm in the car.

RAINBOW'S

REXALL DRUG STORE
Northwest Corner of the Square

FOR BABY'S CARE

. . . for mother's convenience, a Johnson's Deluxe Baby Gift Box with all those wonderful Johnson's items for baby's care.

THE WEBSTER PHARMACY

"Your Prescription Store"

Always A Treasure

. . . is baby's first ring, and Grant's present is a beautiful solid gold baby ring, with our best wishes for a wonderful future.

W. A. Grant Jewelry Co.



A Lifetime of Good Health

. . . needs a sound basis—rich, wholesome milk! Harrisburg Dairy Products will provide a quart of vitamin-rich, nourishing DAIR BRAND milk each day for a whole month to the winner.

Dairy Brand

The Young'un's Portrait

. . . is something you'll cherish forever, and here's the portrait, and an album to put it in, with our compliments.

The Foster Studio

Over Skaggs Pharmacy

A Gift Certificate from

THE LYNN SHOP

The Children's Store

For the lucky first we have a \$2.00 Gift Certificate and a selection of new baby fashions. Dress up Number 1 here.

THE LYNN SHOP

North Side Square

To Protect Baby's Health

Safest for Baby . . . Convenient for Mother. Six Bluebird Nursing Bottles complete "Stay-Sterile" . . . Also a formula pitcher.

Good Luck, Number One of 1955!

RAY'S DRUGS

5 South Main

For the Winner . . .

To Keep Baby's Bottle Warm During These Cold Days . . .

We Will Present a Bottle Warmer

Barler's Rexall Drug Store

Temperature: Just Right!

Here's a Hanks-craft baby bottle warmer for the Derby winner, with the compliments of

SKAGGS ELECTRIC

Who Will Win Our Gift

To the first baby born in 1955, we'll present the proud parents a pair of

IDEAL BABY SHOES for their little one.

Our compliments.

Fashion Palace

North Side of the Square

When Papa Struts Down the Street

We are presenting him with a brand new tie from our huge holiday collection. . . . Our best wishes to the new mother and father.

Palace Clothing House

FOR MEN
North Side of the Square

USE THE WANT ADS TO BUY TO SELL

Charge Accounts: 15 Cents Per Line For Each Insertion. Minimum Ad Accepted TWO Lines

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Special Discount for Cash-with-Order

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(1) Notices

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Goodson, Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Charles Goodson, deceased, hereby gives notice that Monday, the 7th day of February, 1955, is the claim date for said Estate, and that all claims may be filed against the Estate of the said decedent, on or before said date without issuance of summons.

RALPH BEAN,
Administrator.
ROBERT V. WILSON,
Attorney for Administrator. 144—

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear daughter, Miss Ina Marie Carrier, who passed away ten years ago today, Dec. 30, 1944.

The month of December again is here
To us, the saddest of the year.
Her loving heart is now at rest,
God took her home when he
He thought best.

When we are done with toil and care
We will meet our dear daughter,
Over there.

Sadly missed by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carrier and family. *155-1

HARRISBURG TRANSFER CO., Inc.
Ph. 87 day — 1107-W3 night.
702 E. Locust
Moving and storage. 03—

TELEVISION SERVICE: DAY,
night, Sun. Fenton Baker, Phone Galatia 48C. *155-30

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF
the Dorrisville Cleaners, at 905 West London. Tel. 148R. W. open Mon. Jan. 3, 1955. Special discount offered, 10 per cent discount — first two weeks Jan. 3 to 15 inclusive. Rev. Otis Wren and Rev. Herbert Thomason, owners. *152-5

TURKEY SHOOT SAT. AND SUNDAY afternoon. Coy Elam. *152-2

TELEVISION SERVICE: DAY,
night, Sunday. Fenton Baker, Ph. Galatia 48C. 125-30

Card of Thanks
May we take this method of thanking all those who helped in any way during the sickness and following the death of our husband and father, Mr. A. J. Glass, especially the Rev. Wm. B. Fuson, Lodema Sisk, who played the organ, the Dorrisville quartet that sang at the service. We would like very much to thank the Gibbons funeral home for the help and kindness shown in the time that we needed it most. We also thank the friends and neighbors who sent beautiful flowers, and the pallbearers for their services. We will always remember.
The Family. *155-1

(2) Business Services

SEE "SHORTY" ROBSON AT the Irvin Appliance Co. for the best in appliance service and parts. 615 E. Poplar. Ph. 1146. 96-1f

PHONE 55
FURNACE CLEANING — GUTTERING — Furnaces, Coal, Oil and Gas; Stokers — Air-Conditioning. City Coal Yard and Tin Shop. 61-1f

FOR REFRIGERATION SERVICE, home or commercial, call Owen Disney, Irvin Appliance Co. Day ph. 1146. Night ph. Co. 352F2. 153-2f

RUGS AND WALL-TO-WALL CARPET cleaning, Gus Schmitz, Ph. 216R. 108-1f

TELEVISION, 9 OUT OF 10 repaired in homes. Cooper TV Co., ph. 766-R. 61-1f

Wrecker Service

At Night Call 214-R

Saline Motor Co., "Chevrolet Sales and Service" Phone 69 or 68
Operator, Rodney Myers

SEE SKAGGS ELECTRIC CO., 100 N. Vine, for Sweeper repairs. We repair and service all brands. 61—

RAINBOW'S PRESCRIPTION Drug Store uses only the freshest stock of the finest quality of famous pharmaceutical supplies. Next time sickness strikes your home, bring your prescription to Rainbow's Rexall Drug Store. 107—

ASHES AND RUBBISH HAULED 25c week. H. L. Seets, 109 E. McHaney, Ph. 643-R. *155-10

(2-A) Bus Opportunities

WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE
Opportunity to own your own business. Become one of the more than 3,000 owners of profitable Western Auto Associates stores, retailing famous nationally advertised brands of auto supplies. Good location available. No experience necessary. We will train you. For further information write or phone Walter Gardner, 701 So. 28th St. Paducah, Ky. Ph. 5-7393. 141-16

(3) For Rent

FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS available. Harrisburg Ice Co. 118-1f

(3) For Rent (Cont.)

SET COMPTON'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, baby's play pen, chrome table and chairs, electric heater, striped canopy baby stroller, bassinet. 331 W. Sloan. 155-3

4 ROOM APARTMENT. PH. 370R or 427W. 114-1f

3 RM. FURNISHED APARTMENT. Good heat, clean, newly decorated. Call 1283J before 8 p. m. 155-3

4 RM. HOUSE AT 14 E. COLLEGE. Inq. 822 S. Main. *153-3

3 RM. APT. ALSO ONE RM. EFFICIENCY. Pickford Flower shop. 155—

VARSITY APARTMENT. MODERN, 3 room. Dr. E. M. Travelstead. 115-1f

4-RM. SEMI-MOD. HOUSE. ONE mile west on Rt. 13. Ph. 1141R2. Mrs. Barney Ashe, after 5:30 p. m. *155-2

(4) For Sale

ALEMITE LUBRICATION SERVICE. See Frank Owens, Saline Motor Co. 61-1f

OR TRADE, USED CARS. TERMS. Mitchell Bros. Garage, Dorrisville. 61-1f

HOME FREEZER LOCKER SUPPLIES. Harrisburg Ice Co. 118-1f

SAHARA COAL, WASHED AND OILED. Kindling, chat, rock, sand and limestone. Milligan Coal Yard, ph. 507-W. 83-1f

BLUE BIRD COAL, WASHED, OILED, treated. 3 x 6 and stoker. Jackson Ice & Coal, ph. 256. 85-1f

USED WASHERS, ALL MAKES. \$34.95 to \$49.95. \$5 down, \$5 per month, no financing charge. Irvin Appliance Co., 615 E. Poplar. 84-1f

BEST COAL

Screened, hand loaded coal, \$5 ton in 4 to 5 ton orders. Blue Bird washed and oiled stoker coal \$6.50 ton in load lots. C. L. Flannel, Ph. 58F3

APPLES, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. HARRISBURG ICE CO. 118-1f

SPECIAL NEW CLOSE OUT PRICE ON NEW G. E. REFRIGERATORS. Trade now! Irvin Appliance Co. 140-30

SEWING MACHINES, GOOD SELECTION, cheap. All prices from \$14.95 up. Just "sew-so." Worth the price just for mending. Joe Gidcumb's Used Furniture, 17 S. Vine. 154-2

ACCORDION, 120 BASS, 5 WKS. old, nine switches; cost \$700, still has guarantee, \$250 or best cash offer immediately. Write Box 8, care Register. *152-10

PLENTY OF HOT WATER WITH Crosley automatic electric water heater. O'Keefe Lumber Co., Carrier Mills. 110—

3 LB. FRYERS 85c. NO SUNDAY sales. Phil Gill, Galatia. 154—

3 BEDROOM ALL MOD. HOME. Real bargain, 729 S. Ledford. Ph. 48W. 155-2

YOU SAVE MONEY. YES, YOU DO. And it's "custom-made" and just for you! You save 1.35 on every box of RYTEX DECKLE EDGE VELLUM Printed Stationery you buy during this JANUARY SALE at the Register Commercial department. For DECKLE EDGE VELLUM is on sale in DOUBLE THE USUAL QUANTITY. . . 200 Single Sheets, or 100 Double Sheets, or 100 Large Flat Sheets, and 100 Envelopes. . . A 4.00 Value for only 2.65. "Custom-made" with your Name and Address printed on Sheets and Envelopes in Block or Script lettering in Blue or Mulberry ink. Choice of White, Grey, Blue or Pink deckled vellum paper with a smooth writing surface. Order your RYTEX DECKLE EDGE VELLUM Printed Stationery from the Register Commercial department during this JANUARY SALE. GET DOUBLE THE USUAL QUANTITY at the Register Commercial department. 155-6

WE WILL GUARANTEE YOUR picture tube for one year at very low cost. If your present tube is out of warranty, call 194W. Hbg. Radio and TV, 19 W. Elm, Hbg. 152-10

WASHED AND OILED SCREENINGS, at yard, \$2.50 ton. City Coal Yard. 142—

CROSLLEY SHELVAOR REFRIGERATORS. We give the best trades. Terms. O'Keefe Lumber Co. 166—

GOOD CLEAN STRAW, 30c BALE. Hobart Somers, 3 miles northwest of Harco. *154-3

TROPICAL FISH, 33 CHOICES. Supplies, also live bait for fishermen. Pyramid Live Bait Co. at Ira's Radiator Shop, Eldorado. 147-10

MIXED HAY, 75c bale, baled oats, 90c, straw 40c. Fat hens, \$1. Baked rye, \$1. A. A. Moore, Phone 36F12. *154-3

BLUE BIRD COAL—ALL GRADES 3x6 Stoker washed and oiled, kindling—chat. City Coal Yard and Tin Shop. 138-1f

COAL ALL GRADES. WALTER Blackwell, Ph. 1118R5. 136—

(4) For Sale (Cont.)

FROZEN FOODS, 200 ITEMS FROZEN FOOD CENTER, Harrisburg Ice Co. 118-1f

STEAKS...

Special All This Week
SIRLOIN STEAK
A choice 9 oz. boneless sirloin strip steak served with french fries, combination salad, coffee, tea or milk.
\$1.50
SCHNIERLE'S
Serving the Best in Food Since 1936

G. E. STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, automatic washer. Large plate glass mirror, coffee table and curtains. 206 S. Main. Tel. 292R. 154-2

ROYAL PORTABLE DELUXE typewriters for sale; \$10 down and \$5 per month. We also rent typewriters. CLINE WADE, Typewriter & Stationery Store, 404 E. Main St., West Frankfort, Ill. ph. 444. 85-1f

QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds

MAKE IT COME TRUE

In 1955 You Can Make Your Dreams Come True!

NICE COUNTRY HOME, edge of Harrisburg, modern in every way. NEW HAN-DY TO SCHOOL.

ANOTHER NEW ONE, on U. S. 45 between Harrisburg and Eldorado, and only \$4750.

Several large and small sized homes in Harrisburg, close to schools. Any size.

Ph. 888. After 5 p. m. Ph. 826W, or see

George Lazich
At AAA Office.

FRESH DRESSED POULTRY
Custom Dressing.

DIXON FEED STORE
621 N. Jackson Ph. 327W

5 RM. MOD. HOUSE ON MID- kiff, with screened front and back porch, garage. \$40 mo. E. E. Ledford, Ph. Co. 28F13. 153—

OPEN POLLINATED YELLOW corn. See Robert Mugga at Sugar Creek Produce, ph. 1220W. 130—

BASSINET, PAD AND LINER, like new. Also Teeter Babe Jump. Ph. 249M. *153-3

STUBBLE RED CLOVER, 45c bale. John Adams, 10 mi. S. E. Harrisburg. *155-3

Restaurant For Sale

BEST LOCATION IN CITY

LONG TERM LEASE

VALUE NOT CONSIDERED

If interested in an unusual opportunity visit our office. We do not wish to discuss this over the telephone.

D. E. Cavender

FRYERS; 3 AND 3 1/2 LBS. EACH Mrs. Aron Jones, 439 W. Poplar. Ph. 271W. 155-2

GIRL'S WHITE SHOE SKATES, size 8, tel. 1164M. *153-3

48 BALES GOOD SOYBEAN HAY, 85c each. Mabel Hale, Galatia, Rt. 2, 7 mi. W. on Rt. 13, and 4 mi. N. of Dallasia on Cross roads. 154-3

ALUMINUM STORM DOORS \$14- up. Durham Lumber Co. 153—

OR TRADE: SEMI-MODERN house on West Oak, for property in north part of Carrier Mills. Write Box 142, Carrier Mills. 155-2

YOU ARE BUSY MAKING A LIV- ING. So why waste time when you are shopping for a car. See our fine selection. Porter & Kent Chevrolet, Shawneetown. Open till 9 p. m. Sat. 133-90

STUDIO COUCHES, SOME NEW- ly recovered. We wouldn't fool you (couldn't anyway). Our used furniture just looks like new we'd charge a lot more for it. But it'll do in a pinch and is more than worth the money you pay at Joe Gidcumb's Used Furniture store, 17 S. Vine. 154-2

NEW STOCK 1955 EVINRUDE outboard motors. Joe Matthews, 112 W. Raymond, ph. 1281R. 155-3

GIVE YOUR FAMILY THE BEST. make it Rexall's GUARANTEED SUPER PLENAMINS vitamins this year, from the Rainbow Rexall Drug Store. 107—

LINOLEUMS AND WALL COVER- ings. O'Keefe Lumber Co., Inc. 167—

FRYERS: DRESSED OR ALIVE. Ph. Co. 57F11, Carl Corrie. 155-1

COAL ALL GRADES. WALTER Blackwell, Ph. 1118R5. 136—

GET IN THE FUN AT OUR NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

Jamboree Starts 7:30 p. m. Friday Night

ALL LEGIONNAIRES AND THEIR WIVES INVITED

George Hart Post, American Legion

(4) For Sale (Cont.)

TRADING POST SPECIAL Large nut coal \$5.50 ton. Del. Exceptionally good lump coal \$7.50 ton. Del. Ph. 671W, 17 W. Elm. 154-2

BROWN AND WHITE COLLIE, wearing Indiana license tag. Call 1473W please. 155-2

REPAIRS ON TYPEWRITERS and Adding Machines, called for and delivered. CLINE WADE Typewriter & Stationery Store, 404 E. Main St., West Frankfort, Ill. Ph. 444. 85-1f

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(10) Instruction

REVIVAL
Starts Jan. 2, 7 p. m.

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD
Carrier Mills
Friend and Harrison Sts.

Rev. Othmar Hill, Evangelist
From Poplar Bluff, Mo.

PUBLIC INVITED
Song Service Nightly.
Walter Fuller, Pastor.

GORGEOUS HUNK O' MAN! insist on a portrait by Ronnie of him. He won't love you if you don't. 155-1

Markets

LIVESTOCK
ST. LOUIS NATIONAL STOCK YARDS, Ill. — Livestock:

Hogs 6500; 210 lbs. down mostly steady, spots slightly lower; 220 lbs. up, strong to mostly 25 higher; bulk choice 150-220 lbs. 18.50-19.00; 220-240 lbs. 18.00-18.50; few 18.75; 240-270 lbs. 17.00-18.25; 270-310 lbs. 16.25-17.25.

Cattle 1000; calves 300; generally steady; utility and commercial cows 10.50-13.00; few to 13.50; yearlings again 1.00 higher; prime to 34.00; good and choice 24.00-32.00.

Sheep 500; no early sales.

Chicago Produce
Live poultry: Steady to firm. 5 trucks.

No Chicago Poultry Board price changes.

Butter 988,339 lbs. Steadier 90 score 58 1-2.

Eggs 12,060 cases. Weak on top grades, steady on others. White large extras and mixed large extras 15-16.

L'L ABNER

BUY AND SAVE: PIPE AND sewer tile, Norris City Concrete Products. 110—

RIDE TO EL PASO, TEX. PH 261R. *154-3

WILL BUY USED PIANOS Write Box H. S. care Daily Register. *152-10

RIDERS TO SHARE EXPENSES: Leaving 2 p. m. Sat. for Norfolk, Va. Call 538W, Cecil Simpson. *155-2

MANURE, PICKFORD'S GREEN house. 144-1f

BABY BED, MUST BE IN GOOD condition. Ph. 1159R. *155-2

(5-A) Help Wanted

CURB BOY, MUST BE 16 AND experienced. Apply in person. P. J. Herron's Barbecue. 154-3

STENOGRAPHER WANTED Local firm offers good pay and pleasant working conditions for qualified stenographer who wants to work and will work. Write Box 4, care Register, giving name, age, experience, qualifications, etc. 154-2

(6) Employment Wanted

WORK BY DAY OR WEEK. PH 1523J, after 5 p. m. 155-3

A PRACTICAL NURSE OR housekeeping job. Helen Sutton, Galatia, Ill., ph. 71F11. *153-6

(7) Lost

BLACK BILLFOLD, CONTAINED money and personal papers. Keep money and return the rest please to Bill Renshaw, Buck's Barbecue. *155-1

College Youth Nominated as Junior Achiever

DETROIT AP—Young delegates to the Midwest Conference of Junior Achievement today nominated a St. Louis, Mo., college freshman as "the Junior Achiever who has achieved the most."

The nomination was unofficial but unanimous for 17-year-old Jerrold Feldman, St. Louis, a freshman at Washington University.

Delegates from 21 Midwestern cities pointed to Feldman as "the youngest tycoon most likely to succeed."

Two years ago the bespectacled youth invested in two vending machines that dispense ball gum, two for a penny.

"My profits snow-balled until I was making \$10 a month off the two machines," Feldman quipped in an interview.

But the profits were poured back into business. Today he owns and operates 20 penny vending machines and 14 nickel gum machines in St. Louis. He also has hired a part-time helper to collect the money and refill the machines. In addition, he owns and operates a magazine subscription agency, supervises a small staff of employees, and is the buyer for his father's dry goods store.

Feldman also is president of his 15-member Junior Achievement company, which manufactures decorative wall plaques on an assembly-line basis. Selling the plaques for \$1.98 each, the company now is paying dividends to its youthful stockholders.

One of Feldman's private ventures failed last summer. He was forced to liquidate a lawnmowing agency (a three powermower organization) because he is allergic to poison ivy.

When asked to comment on the business outlook for 1955, the young tycoon said, "Well, I think business in general will be good. At least it will be good enough to help me continue paying my way through college."

"And what are you majoring in at college?" Feldman was asked. "Business," he replied.

Eisenhower Praises Action by French Assembly

AUGUSTA, Ga. AP—President Eisenhower today hailed French Assembly approval of West German rearmament as a "decisive" signpost to world peace.

Mr. Eisenhower, after a series of tense days here at his holiday headquarters, issued a formal statement, raising the Assembly for holding firm to the Western pattern of defense against the threat of Russia.

"As decisive cooperation supports a general and lasting peace will be definitely improved and a measure of encouragement may therefore even now be felt by all who are earnestly striving to maintain and improve the unity and harmony of the world."

Mr. Eisenhower received news of the French action on German rearmament after spending nearly a week at his winter headquarters in frequent telephone conference with Secretary of State John Foster Dulles.

trass 31 a doz; mediums 30; standars 29; current receipts 27; dirties and checks 25.

Watch Night Services By Salvation Army

The Salvation Army will hold special Watch Night services again this year and the public is invited to attend the following services: Friday night: worship service 8:00, refreshments 9:30-11:00. New Year's service 11:00.

Uphold Firing of Employees Invoking Fifth Amendment

WASHINGTON AP—Federal District Judge Charles F. McLaughlin today upheld the right of a company to fire union employees who refuse to answer questions of congressional investigators about Communist ties.

He made the ruling in a case involving the left-wing United Electrical Workers (Ind.) and the General Electric Co. The union had charged that GE's policy of firing workers who invoke the Fifth Amendment was a violation of its collective bargaining contract.

McLaughlin said such dismissals were for "obvious cause" and therefore no violation of the company-union collective bargaining agreement.

The union also had charged that GE officials conspired with staff members of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's investigating subcommittee in formulating the ouster policy which went into effect Dec. 9.

McLaughlin held that the union failed to prove the alleged conspiracy.

Before leaving, Hammarskjold made it clear: "I am not going anywhere to beg anything of anybody."

The Communist Chinese propaganda machine was expected to make capital of Hammarskjold's visit, but the Swedish diplomat said he would not negotiate with Chou on anything but the two points in a resolution adopted by the assembly on Dec. 10:

1. Release of the 11 American airmen.

2. Release of all other U. N. Command personnel still illegally detained.

He said he was willing to listen to Chou's views on such topics as Red China's admission to the U. N., the Formosa question and the refusal of the United States to issue exit visas to 35 Chinese students, but that he would not "negotiate."

Local Delegates Attend Illinois Education Meeting

The 101st annual meeting of the Illinois Education association is being held this week in the Hotel Sherman, Chicago, with a number of delegates from this area attending.

Dr. Paul Street, president of the organization, announced that the formal program will be centered around problems of school finance, improvement of the standards of teaching, teacher shortage, improved methods of acquiring the public with the achievements and needs of schools.

Rapid increase in the number of births in Illinois, failure to have an adequate number of persons prepare for the teaching profession and the shifts of population within the state have created critical problems to which the teachers must give attention on a statewide basis. Dr. Street pointed out.

Saline county delegates named to attend were Fred Armistead, Raymond L. Foster of Harrisburg, and Audra Stone of Eldorado. Louie E. Beltz and Wanda Bramlett of Harrisburg and Wilma Hunter of Carrier Mills were named alternate delegates.

Russell Malan of Harrisburg is past president of the IEA.

Mrs. Gregory Peck Wins Divorce And



Picking the Bowl Winners IN THE Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK — The Pasadena Rose Bowl and the Jan. 1 bowl game "winners" — or how to start the New Year from scratch without any.

The Rose Bowl
Ohio State over Southern California: This obviously is being played just to give Pasadena reason to have a parade. Otherwise, this during the regular season is what would have been close to a "breather" for the unbeaten Buckeyes.

Meanwhile, just because of such cracks as that, Southern California probably will be higher than a Georgia pine and turn it into a whale of a ball game. Even so, if Ohio State loses, then the players should have their Ohio passports revoked—and probably will.

The Sugar Bowl
Mississippi over Navy: The Mid-dies played a terrific game against Army but the Cadets were lower than a well digger's ankles. It doesn't seem possible that Navy can come up that high again, particularly against the national leader in total defense.

Ole Miss is a tricky river, and the kids from Crabbtown aren't full-fledged skippers, yet.

The Cotton Bowl
Arkansas over Georgia Tech: This is strictly a shot in the dark against a favored band of mis-named "Wrecks" who were really rambling at season's end. But my Grandpappy told me a long time ago that if you can't be good, you gotta be lucky. The Razorbacks ain't bad, understand, but they manage more than their share when it comes to making with the ouija board.

Tech was traveling the high road at season's end and Arkansas appeared to be trying to get lost in the Ozarks. But with a new stock of four leaf clovers they'll be hard to beat.

The Orange Bowl
Duke over Nebraska: This is another chapter in that Florida California feud. They argue over sunshine and oranges—and now it's lemons.

California stuck itself with Ohio State vs. second-place Southern California instead of first-place UCLA so Florida will produce Duke against second-place Nebraska instead of first-place Oklahoma. But rules are rules, they made 'em—and they're stuck with 'em.

The Gator Bowl
Baylor over Auburn: This is another Longshot Louie, especially designed for the Jacksonville horse players who won't have any tracks to attend on Friday night.

Auburn finished up the season going like a jackrabbit in a forest fire while Baylor tapered off. Don't ask why, but I like 'em.

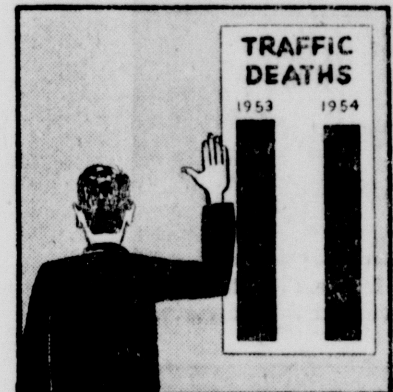
East-West Shrine Game
You pick that one — just to prove you can come up with more winners than I can. One might be just enough.

There is no trace of the use of firearms before 1300 A. D.

Tips on Traffic Safety

By CHARLES F. CARPENTIER
Secretary of State

As the year 1954 draws to a close, we can look back on it with the feeling that we have accomplished a little in Illinois in the field of traffic safety. At the time this is written, the latest statistics indicate that there will be a slight de-



crease in the number of deaths in traffic accidents this year from the 1953 mark.

We are improving, but there is still a lot of room left for further improvement. Last year in this column we suggested that all of us make safer driving one of our New Year's resolutions.

Let's renew that resolution for 1955. Let's resolve to continue the progress we have made this year, and make the new year a safer and happier one for everyone.

A copy of the completely new "Rules of the Road" booklet will be sent to you free upon request. Write to CHARLES F. CARPENTIER, Secretary of State, Springfield, Illinois.

West Frankfort, Edwardsville in Finals



TACKLE TROY—These Ohio State backs will run at Southern California in the Pasadena Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. They are, left to right, Hubert Bobo, Bobby Watkins, Dave Leggett and Howard Cassidy.

North Carolina State Edges Minnesota, 85-84, To Win Dixie Tourney

By United Press

John Maglio, a 6-foot "runt" on a team of giants, stood out as one of the biggest men in college basketball today for his pressurized push shot that meant a tournament title, an unbeaten record, and a shot at top national honors for North Carolina State.

Maglio, a soph from Havertown, Pa., dribbled down the court, turned and pushed a shot through the cords with eight seconds left Wednesday night to give State an 85-84 victory over Minnesota in the finals of the Dixie Classic tournament at Raleigh, N. C.

Texas Christian won another big carnival, the Southwest conference tourney at Houston, and there was semifinal play in several other big holiday shows Wednesday night.

But the State-Minnesota clash topped 'em all in importance, matching the nation's No. 2 team (State) against the No. 20 team, and in chills.

First sub Cliff Hafer of State sank a goal for an 83-82 lead with 34 seconds remaining. Then Dick Garmaker of Minnesota sank a set shot with 16 seconds left and it seemed the Gophers would take the Dixie title out of Dixie for the first time in the tourney's history.

But then Maglio, dwarfed by several near-seven foot teammates, took charge for his game-winning basket.

Shavlik Top Scorer
Six foot-10 Ronnie Shavlik of State took scoring honors with 32 points and was voted the tourney's "Most Valuable Player" while Garmaker and 6-foot-10 Bill Simonovich had 24 each for Minnesota. Simonovich's fouling out with 1:48 left was a key factor in the final result.

In the same tourney, center Dick

Hemric of Wake Forest set a new major college scoring record for a four-year career in leading the Deacons to a 93-85 victory over Southern California for third place. Hemric tallied 30 points, his 21st breaking the old record of 2,134 points set from 1946 to 1949 by Jim Lacy of Loyola of Baltimore. Hemric's total now stands at 2,164, exceeded in major colleges only by Frank Selvy of Furman with 2,538 in three seasons.

In other Dixie consolation games, North Carolina upset Duke, 65-52, as Lennie Rosenbluth scored 29, and West Virginia beat Cornell, 79-71, as Rod Hundley scored 24.

O'Neal TCU's Hero

Another sophomore, center Dick O'Neal, was the hero for Texas Christian as his 30 points paced a 77-63 victory over guest team Alabama in the finals of the Southwest conference tournament. After Alabama held an early 9-8 lead, TCU was in front all the way as it built up a 40-29 halftime margin and breezed home. Bryan Kidpatrick tallied 18 for TCU and Jerry Harper 16 for Alabama.

In Southwest consolation games, Arkansas took third place by nipping Texas A. and M., 74-70, as Buddy Smith scored 24; Southern Methodist trounced Rice, 88-63, despite 23 points by Rice's Terry Telligman; and Murray Bailey set a tourney record with 34 points for Baylor in an 89-75 victory over Texas.

Other Tourney Results

In the other big tournaments: Holiday Festival, New York: Duquesne trounced Dayton, 90-75, in one semifinal as Dick Ricketts set a Madison Square Garden record with 19-for-19 on free throws and a tourney record of 38 points; and LaSalle also qualified for the Friday night finale by beating UCLA, 85-77, as Tom Gola scored 26 points. In consolation games, Ed Fleming's 29 points paced Niagara to a 91-70 win over Syracuse and Mike Parenti's 23 led St. John's to an 89-77 win over Villanova.

Sugar Bowl, New Orleans: Tommy Heinsohn's 33 points led Holy Cross to an 89-81 semifinal win over Bradley, and John Stephens' 19 points paced Notre Dame to a 66-45 win over Loyola (La.). The final is scheduled tonight.

Big Seven, Kansas City: Bob Reiter's 29 points for Missouri paced a 95-87 win over Oklahoma and Kansas State whipped Iowa State, 70-60, to qualify for tonight's finals. In consolation games, Colorado drubbed Nebraska, 89-47, and California downed Kansas, 65-62.

Virginia Festival, Richmond: Kenny Daniel of Richmond set a tourney record of 31 points in 84-57 win over Virginia Tech and Corey Devlin of George Washington matched that in an 87-73 win over William and Mary as the two teams qualified for tonight's finals.

All-American Tournament, Owensboro, Ky.: Maryland trounced Rhode Island, 83-66, and Cincinnati drubbed Evansville, 82-62, to reach tonight's finals.

Infantry Chorus Concert at Carbondale Jan. 7

The de Paur Infantry Chorus, most heavily booked concert attraction in American Music history, will perform Jan. 7 in Carbondale under the auspices of the Carbondale Community Concert association.

Conducted by Leonard de Paur, the chorus was organized at Fort Dix, N. J., among Negro members of the 372nd Infantry Regiment in the early days of World War II. It performed in numerous G. I. shows from Iwo Jima to Berlin and was continued professionally when its members returned to civilian life. Now, with more than 3000 public appearances to their credit, the 33 choral members sing 180 or more concerts a season. Their repertoire includes music from all parts of the globe, classified as spirituals and work songs, songs of many faiths, songs from World War II, folk songs from Latin America and contemporary songs.

The de Paur concert at 8 p. m. in Southern Illinois university's Shroyok auditorium will be the second program sponsored by the Community Concert association this season.

The Daily Register 25c a week.

High School Basketball Scores

Harrisburg Tournament Semifinals	
West Frankfort 81, Mt. Vernon 68.	
Edwardsville 66, Carbondale 62.	
Centralia Tournament Quarterfinals	
Herrin 40, Sparta 31.	
Pinckneyville 36, Salem 29.	
Collinsville 56, Belleville 52.	
Centralia 65, Quincy 48.	
Consolation	
Champaign 66, Blue Island 61.	
Benton 49, Vandalia 38.	
Marion 95, Mt. Carmel 62.	
Pittsfield 51, Pana 39.	
By United Press	
East St. Louis Tournament Consolation Semifinals	
Macomb 85, Mattoon 73.	
Danville Schlarmann 65, Decatur St. Teresa 51.	
Semifinals	
Dupo 69, East St. Louis Assumption 46.	
East St. Louis 61, Madison 39.	
Paris Tournament 1st Round	
Clinton 73, Flora 64.	
Tilden Tech 61, Athens 49.	
Sterling Tournament Championship	
Sterling 76, Galesburg 63.	
3rd Place	
Kewanee on default.	
Consolation Final	
Ottawa 68, Rock Falls 59.	
Waverly Tournament Semifinals	
Kincaid 67, Winchester 65 (ot).	
Jerseyville 63, Pawnee 44.	
Virginia Tournament Semifinals	
White Hall 41, Virginia 29.	
Petersburg 66, Roodhouse 31.	
Pontiac Tournament Quarterfinals	
Lockport 34, Streator 33.	
Alton 72, Bloomington 44.	
Washington 48, Bloom Twp. 46.	
Pontiac 64, Broadwood 62.	
Consolation	
Lawrenceville 55, New Trier 46.	
Lexington 55, Delavan 39.	
Chenoa 55, Robinson 51.	
Chester 70, Hillsboro 62.	
DeKalb Tournament Quarterfinals	
Sycamore 49, Maple Park 39.	
Rochelle 81, Waterman 60.	
Oregon 53, Geneseo-Kingsdon 51.	
Glenbard 66, De Kalb 55.	
Decatur Tournament	
Warrensburg-Latham 77, Mt. Zion 59.	
Decatur Lakeview 78, Beecher City 47.	
Bridgeport Tournament Championship	
Bridgeport 78, Albion 67.	
3rd Place	
Shelbyville 68, Noble 67.	
Arthur Tournament Championship	
Cerro Gordo 77, Lovington 54.	
Consolation	
Oakland 65, Atwood 53.	
Monticello Tournament Championship	
Areola 66, Roberts-Thawville 64 (2 ot).	
Consolation	
Urbana 49, Argenta 40.	
Semifinals	
Areola 49, Argenta 43.	
Roberts-Thawville 55, Urbana 46.	
Kankakee Tournament	
Cicero Morton 62, Joliet 41.	
Wood River 69, Niles 59.	
Taylorville 64, Bradley 39.	
Lincoln 57, Kankakee 46.	
Ottawa Marquette Tournament	
Ottawa Marquette 68, DePue 45.	
Leland 60, Morris 43.	
Illinois Tech Tournament 2nd Round	
Dunbar 67, Bowen 42.	
Lindblom 67, Roosevelt 54.	
Sullivan 58, Phillips 57 (ot).	
Lake View 43, Harrison 42.	
Hyde Park 41, Austin 36.	
Parker 66, Wells 63.	
Carver 60, Calumet 59.	
Crane 77, Farragut 71.	

College Scores

By United Press	
Hofstra Tournament Semifinals	
Hofstra 115, Delaware 68.	
Lafayette 89, Marietta 69.	
Consolation	
St. Peter's, N. J. 83, Wagner 71.	
New England Tournament Semifinals	
Dartmouth 73, Middlebury 69.	
Connecticut 91, Brown 68.	
Holiday Festival Consolation	
St. John's, N. Y. 89, Villanova 77.	
Niagara 91, Syracuse 70.	
Semifinals	
LaSalle 85, UCLA 77.	
Duquesne 90, Dayton 75.	
Sugar Bowl First Round	
Notre Dame 66, Loyola, La. 45.	
Holy Cross 89, Bradley 81.	
All-American Tournament Semifinal	
Maryland 83, Rhode Island 66.	
Cincinnati 82, Evansville 62.	
Consolation	
Denver 88, Mississippi 81.	
Ky. Wesleyan 89, Texas Tech 86.	
Virginia Festival Semifinal	
Richmond 84, Virginia Tech 87.	
G. Washington 87, Wm. and Mary 73.	
Consolation	
Boston College 78, Rutgers 75.	
Colgate 82, Boston University 73.	
Dixie Classic Consolation	
West Virginia 79, Cornell 71.	
Wake Forest 93, Southern Cal. 85.	
North Carolina 65, Duke 52.	
Championship	
North Carolina St. 85, Minnesota 84.	
Big Seven Tournament Semifinals	
Missouri 95, Oklahoma 87.	
Kansas State 70, Iowa State 60.	
Consolation	
Colorado 89, Nebraska 45.	
California 65, Kansas 62.	
Wichita Tournament First Round	
Colorado A&M 65, Miss. Southwestern 50.	
Southwest Conference Tourney Championship	
Texas Christian 77, Alabama 62.	
Consolation	
Baylor 89, Texas 75.	
Southern Methodist 88, Rice 63.	
Arkansas 74, Texas A&M 70.	
Wisconsin 66, Princeton 64.	
Indiana St. 64, Indiana Central 47.	
DePauw 52, Anderson 48.	
New York U. 74, Miami, Fla. 67.	
Stanford 72, Vanderbilt 64.	
Washington & Lee 90, Carn. Tech 79.	

Flabby soft bristles of hair brushes can be stiffened by rinsing in a solution of alum and water after a regular rinsing.



ARMED MEN—George Shaw, left, of Oregon and California's Paul Larson, two of the nation's passing leaders, are the West's answer to the East's Ralph Guglielmi of Notre Dame in the Shrine Game for Crippled Children in San Francisco on New Year's Day. (NEA)

Red Birds Shear Rams, 81 to 68; Carbondale Is Eliminated, 66-62

The West Frankfort Red Birds last night sheared the powerful Rams of Mt. Vernon, 81 to 68, to enter the championship battle against Edwardsville tonight in the Egyptian Holiday tournament at Davenport gym.

Edwardsville squeaked by Carbondale, 66 to 62, in a tilt that was anybody's until the closing minute in the other semi-final game last night.

After the first three games in which scores were decisive, the last three have been thrillers, starting with the Harrisburg Carbondale contest Tuesday night. Last night saw two highly interesting contests and tonight's bill of fare—especially the championship game, should be tops.

Fans who attended saw the unusual in that it was Mt. Vernon that finally went down under the pressure of a close game. It more often is the other way. But in last night's contest all five of the Ram starters fouled out as they tried desperately to stem the Red Bird tide.

Coach George Iubelt brought a darkhorse outfit into the tourney and his Red Birds have played the best ball of the meet so far, with enough height, and plenty of speed and balance.

Frankfort played the game without a substitution and Coach Harold Hutchings substituted only when a man fouled out.

Mt. Vernon took a 12-10 lead in a fast first quarter in which only three fouls were committed.

The lead changed five times in the second period and the half ended 30-30. During the first half there were no substitutions and

Box Scores of Egyptian Tourney

Mt. Vernon (68)		fg	ft	tp	pf
Brookman	5	2	12	5	
Deichman	2	4	8	5	
Neal	0	4	4	5	
Mikeworth	4	0	8	5	
J. Graham	11	8	30	5	
Hopkins	1	0	2	1	
Irwin	1	0	0	3	
McCall	1	0	2	1	
D. Graham	0	0	0	1	
Mendenhall	1	0	2	0	
Totals	25	18	68	31	

West Frankfort (81)		fg	ft	tp	pf
Dawson	6	9	21	3	
McDaniels	3	3	9	4	
Raubach	6	2	14	1	
Peeler	6	10	22	3	
Florian	6	3	15	4	
Totals	27	27	81	15	

Score by quarters:		12	18	22	16	—68
W. Frankfort		10	20	22	29	—81
Officials:		Claude Rhodes and Joe Spagnoli.				

Edwardsville (66)		fg	ft	tp	pf
Jackson	6	6	18	1	
Vaughn	5	14	24	5	
Penelton	3	2	8	2	
Patton	3	2	8	1	
Sasek	0	0	0	1	
Pulliam	4	0	8	1	
May	0	0	0	4	
Totals	21	24	66	15	

Carbondale (62)		fg	ft	tp	pf
Kimmel	2	3	7	5	
Fenzel	2	0	4	4	
Lovelace	2	0	4	2	
Martin	10	4	24	2	
J. Langan	5	5	15	3	
M. Langan	1	4	6	5	
Lambert	0	2	2	0	
Kelly	0	0	0	2	
Totals	22	18	62	23	

Score by quarters:

Edwardsville	13	25	14	14	—66
Carbondale	15	13	16	18	—62
Officials:		Charles Rothschild and Ford Peebles.			

GRAND

Friday 6 p. m. — Saturday 1:30 p. m.

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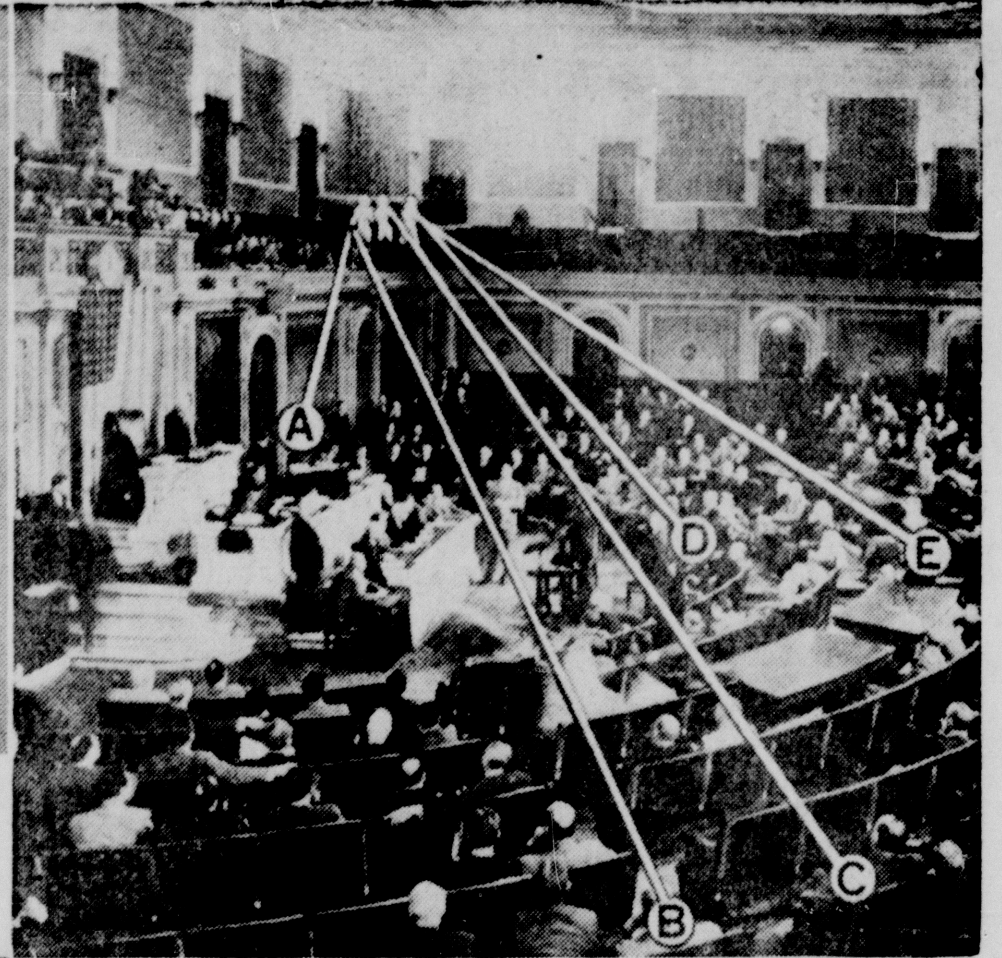
THESE WERE THE TOPS IN 1954



HEROIC STAND of French Union troops at Dien Bien Phu, Indo-China, against hopeless odds, electrified the free world. But it was a lost cause and the isolated garrison was overrun by Communist Viet Minh besiegers. Tragic surrender, May 7, was France's death knell in Indo-China.



HEADLINE MURDER of the year was the July 4th bludgeoning of Marilyn Reese Sheppard in Bay Village, Ohio. Charged and tried was the victim's husband, youthful, socially prominent Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard, osteopathic neuro-surgeon.



SHOCKING THE COUNTRY was the shooting down of five congressmen in the House of Representatives by three fanatical Puerto Rican Nationalists. Photo diagram shows where bullets struck Reps. Ben F. Jensen (A); Kenneth A. Roberts (B); George H. Fallon (C); Alvin M. Bentley (D), and Clifford Davis (E). All the wounded congressmen recovered. The assassins were captured.



NEW LOOK came to Niagara Falls as a huge slab of rock (right) broke off the lip of Prospect Point and crashed into the abyss. The rock fall was estimated to be at 135,000 tons.

←WORST PEACETIME naval disaster struck when an interior explosion rocked the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Bennington off Quonset Point, R. I., May 26th. It killed 91 Navy men, injured 200.



HER MAJESTY, Britain's Queen Mother Elizabeth, captivated American crowds wherever she went during her October visit to this country and Canada. Her graciousness, informality and warmth made her a most successful "good-will" ambassador for her country.



BUST-UP OF THE YEAR won national headlines when Movie Star Marilyn Monroe and her husband, baseball's Joltin' Joe DiMaggio announced their divorce. They presented sad faces to newsmen.



DEATH SEPARATED the world-famous Dionne quintuplets when Emilie died on Aug. 6 at the age of 20. Here three of her surviving sisters, Marie (second from left), Yvonne and Cecile listen to the burial service at Corbell, Ontario. Almost from childhood Emilie had been ill from epilepsy and periodically was stricken with seizures. She died after suffering three successive fits.



NO LANDSLIDE for either party was the 1954 election although each had predicted one. Democrats barely edged out (49-47) Republicans in the Senate and won control of the House by 29 seats. Here President Eisenhower and GOP National Chairman Leonard Hall prepare to check election returns at GOP headquarters in Washington.

SENATE			
1952	DEM.	1954	DEM.
REP. 49	DEM. 46	REP. 49	DEM. 46
HOUSE			
1952	DEM.	1954	DEM.
REP. 218	DEM. 212	REP. 218	DEM. 212
GOVERNORS			
1954	DEM.	1954	DEM.
REP. 21	DEM. 21	REP. 21	DEM. 21



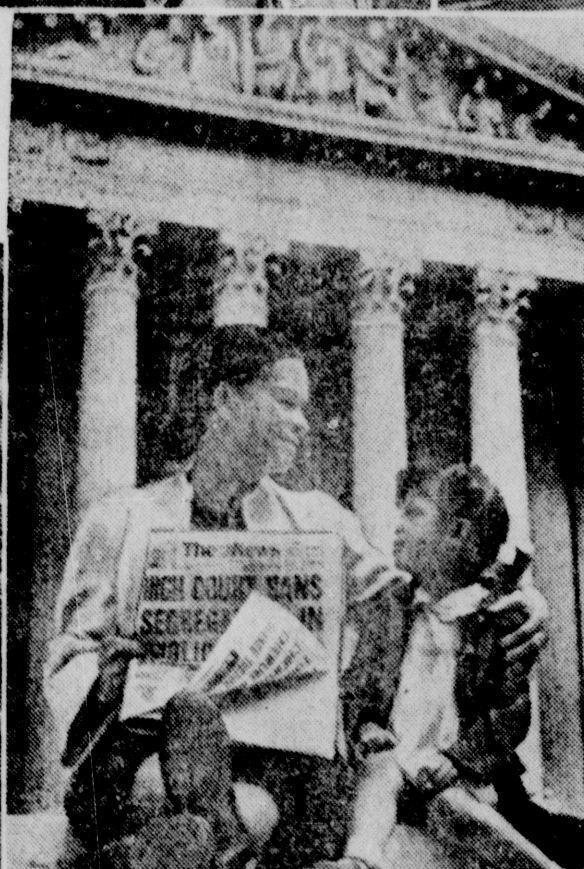
CONTROVERSIAL is the word for Wisconsin's Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy whose feud with Army Secretary Robert Stevens in public hearings made headlines all summer. Near year's end, McCarthy was still on Page One, thanks to the squabble over censuring him. That's Roy Cohn at right.



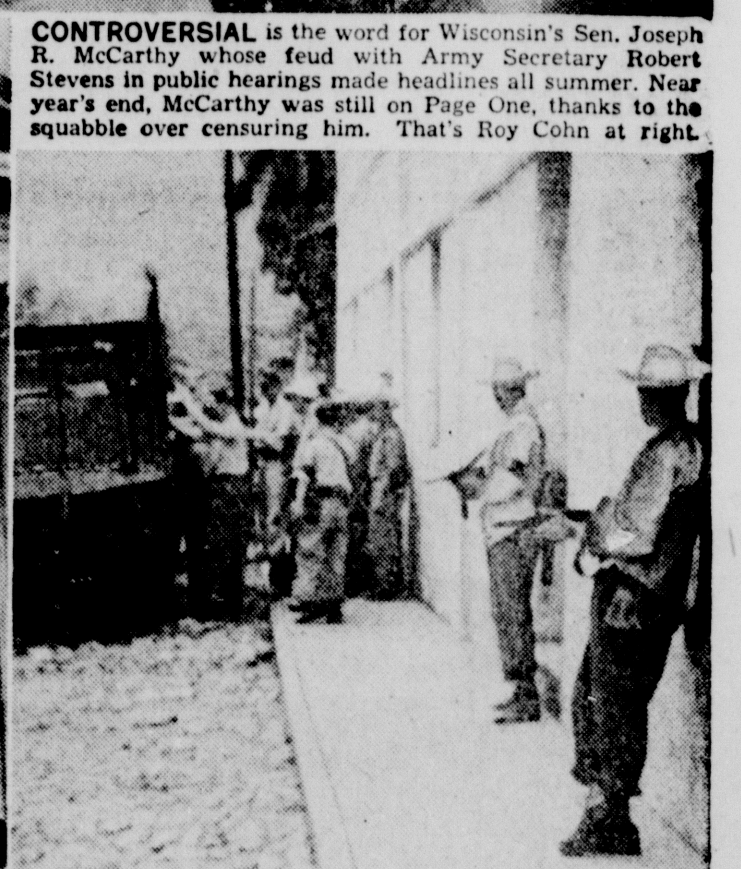
BIGGEST BLAST of all nuclear explosions was revealed when government released pictures of the explosion of a hydrogen bomb in the Marshall Islands in 1952. This photo was taken 50 miles from detonation site. The blossom spread almost 100 miles across and rose 25 miles.



HURRICANE SEASON was lively. Last of eight major blows—Hurricane Hazel—was the worst. It killed 82 persons, caused half a billion dollars damage in the U. S.; killed 100 in Haiti; killed 66 in Canada. This scene, at Onset, Mass., was typical.



HISTORY-MAKING decision of the U. S. Supreme Court that racial segregation is unconstitutional had widespread repercussion throughout the nation.



RED FOOTHOLD in Western Hemisphere was erased when Communist-controlled Arbenz regime of Guatemala was ousted. Here anti-Red troops guard headquarters of new president, Col. Carlos Castillo Armas.



HISS: HE CAME OUT FIGHTING



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DR. J. E. SALK: HOPE IN POLIO



CPL. DICKENSON WITH WIFE: HE COLLABORATED WITH REDS



HEMINGWAY—A NOBEL MAN



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VISHINSKY: FEW MOURN



FRANCE APPROVES GERMAN REARMAMENT

About Town

And Country
By TIMOTHY T.

Record Number of Babies in 1954, Kiplinger Reports

DID YOU KNOW that more babies were born in the United States in 1954 than in any other year? That one third of all women work? That Florida's population is growing faster than California's? That the average bride is 20 years old, and that the average bridegroom is near 24? That our population will reach the 220 million mark in 1975? These and other facts have been assembled on population by the Kiplinger Washington Agency.

The birth rate in 1954 was 25.2 per 1,000 women, compared with a pre-war rate of around 19. Peak rate was 26.6 in 1947, when men were just coming back from the war. All signs are that the high rate will continue through the coming year.

Kiplinger says that young women are having more babies, more than their mothers had. There are more second, third and fourth children.

Levels are not making any difference, Kiplinger says. The rate is about the same at all levels. Farm mothers have the most babies, city mothers the fewest, and the bigger the city, the lower the birth rate. And veterans have more babies than non-vets.

As for marriages, the young marrying people of today were born back in the 30's, and there weren't so many babies being born in those depression days. Consequently there aren't so many of marrying age today.

Kiplinger predicts another big building boom in the early 60's. The wave of births in the past 15 years will become a wave of marriages, then, creating demand for millions of homes; a bigger boom than at present," he says.

Also, it is pointed out that people are living longer. Fifty years ago the people past 65 years old were 4 per cent; in 1950, they were 8 per cent; 20 years from now the people past 65 will be 11 per cent.

Interesting data, huh?

PATH: Have no definite articles to run yet, but just in case you're wondering what is that place cleared away a couple of miles north of town, I've been informed it is the right-of-way that has been cleared for a new highway into Muddy.

VISIT: I don't know how the weather is going to be today as I'm writing this dissertation yesterday, but our southern Illinois weather looked good to Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Tanner of 107 West Poplar street.

They made a trip to Denver to visit their son, Donald, and family, and while there ran into an 8.6-inch snow. They pulled out as quickly as possible and got right back down here where they could put their foot on good ol' soil. Maybe a bit maddy, but good ol' soil.

Pump More Than 43 Million Gallons Water in Reservoir

A total of approximately 43,470,000 gallons of water had been pumped into the city reservoir at 10 a. m. today as a result of rains earlier this week and two of the smaller pumps were still going at that hour.

The 4,500 gallon per minute pump was halted at 1 p. m. today because of the low level of the water in Middle Fork creek. However, the 3,000 gallon per minute pump, started at the same time as the big one, and a 750 gallons per minute pump, started around noon yesterday, were still in operation.

At 10 a. m. water was barely flowing over a small two-foot dam in the creek at the pumping station.

The more than 43 million gallons of water, based on winter consumption of water, should add about 52 days to the supply in the reservoir. All except three knolls were covered by water in the north reservoir.

The Weather

ILLINOIS: Fair south, partly cloudy north, a little colder tonight. Friday partly cloudy, chance of local snow flurries extreme north. Low tonight 20-25 south. High Friday 37-44 south.

Local Temperature	
Wednesday	Thursday
3 p. m. 42	3 a. m. 33
6 p. m. 30	6 a. m. 32
9 p. m. 34	9 a. m. 33
12 mid. 34	12 noon 44

Propose \$181 Per Pupil Aid For Schools

Commission Sets Goals for Legislature; Advise Higher Taxes

CHICAGO (AP) — A state commission has outlined plans to give each public school pupil at least \$181 worth of education a year.

The Illinois School Problems Commission raised the goal for minimum standards by eight dollars in its proposals for 1956-57.

The commission recommended that the Legislature pay in full claims for the 1954-55 period which call for \$173 per pupil.

The commission plan, adopted at a meeting here Wednesday, would require higher local taxes for schools in the coming two-year period.

It would seek a deficiency appropriation of 4 1/2 million dollars to meet claims for the current two-year budget.

In areas that have unit school districts, the minimum school tax levy would be raised 11 cents on each \$100 of property. It would go from 50 to 61 cents.

Districts Must Make Effort

The school tax requirement for districts with separate elementary and high school boards would be 49 cents, nine cents above present rates.

The state aid for schools program in Illinois requires the setting of a minimum level per pupil. It also requires that each district makes a minimum tax effort to finance its own schools.

Money from the state treasury makes up any difference a district might need.

In the current budget period, the state has not had sufficient funds to pay the educational claims in full.

The commission chairman, Rep. Charles W. Clabaugh (R-Champaign) said he understands that 30 to 35 million dollars more is now available for school purposes. The current school fund budget is \$140 million dollars.

Under the commission plan, some of the added money would be used to make up current deficiencies and some to provide more aid for the next biennium.

In Chicago, however, an estimate was made that the higher local tax requirement would cause a drop of \$10,800,000 in state contributions in 1956-57. School Board Comptroller Alfred E. Bolt made the prediction.

Would Like \$236 Minimum

The commission indicated that the minimum educational spending should be \$230 per pupil a year.

But the group, which is appointed by the governor and the leaders of House and Senate, was unable to find any way of financing such a high standard.

Discussion at Wednesday's day-long meeting included the possibility of more money that would come from a one-cent increase in the sales tax.

Another meeting of the commission was scheduled for Chicago on Jan. 19.

The vote in approving the new proposals was 6-4.

The new formula was supported by State Sens. David Davis (R-Bloomington) and Homer Butler (R-Marion); State Reps. Charles W. Clabaugh (R-Champaign) and Harry W. McClintock (R-West Frankfort); Harold W. Norman, Chicago attorney; and C. J. Schlosser, Alton, an accountant.

Voting against were Mrs. Clifton Utley; Vernon L. Nickell, state superintendent of public instruction; State Rep. Fred J. Smith (D-Chicago); and Lester R. Grim, a leader of the Illinois Education Assn.

Funeral Services Saturday for J. A. Douglas

Funeral services for J. A. Douglas, Harrisburg RFD 2 resident who died yesterday at 9 a. m. of a heart attack, will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Big Ridge Baptist church where he was a member.

Rev. Clayton Humphrey, assisted by Rev. Roy Reynolds, will officiate, and burial will be in the Big Ridge cemetery.

Mr. Douglas was born in Saline county Dec. 5, 1875, to the late John and Patsy Douglas. On June 10, 1898, he married the former Hettie Holland who survives him. He was a farmer by occupation.

Besides his wife and eight children, he leaves one brother, Louie Douglas, Indianapolis, Ind., and three sisters, Mrs. Clara Edwards, Mrs. Della Perkins and Mrs. Belle Wilgus, all of Harrisburg, 24 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Two children, one sister and two brothers preceded him in death. The body was taken from the Gaskins funeral home to the residence to lie in state.



L. N. DAVENPORT (center) and his two sons, Tom (left) and Robert, of the Davenport Furniture and Carpet store, formerly the Seten Furniture store (Daily Register Staff Photo)

Group Drafts Amendment for Court Reform

CHICAGO (AP) — The Joint Committee on Judicial Article has drawn a revised proposed constitutional amendment for Illinois court reform.

Barnabas F. Sears, committee chairman, said Wednesday that 15,000 copies of the draft, a substitute for a proposed amendment which was defeated in the 1953 Legislature, have been mailed to judges and lawyers throughout the state for their suggestions.

The suggestions will be considered and the draft will then be submitted to the Illinois and Chicago Bar Assn. for approval before it is presented to the Legislature.

Sears said it was hoped the new draft would overcome earlier objections and would be submitted to the voters in the November 1956 election.

Virtually all the revisions in the proposal have to do with selection of judges on a nonpartisan basis. Original proposals for streamlining courts and simplifying and speeding litigation were little changed.

The system for selecting judges provides for nominating commissions, composed of lawyers appointed by the state Supreme Court and non-lawyers appointed by the governor.

Sears said this system was an improvement over the 1953 draft because it insures the governor would not have power of nomination or appointment of judges and, by having lawyers appointed by the court, removes the criticism that partisan politics were simply being replaced by "bar association politics."

"Since the probationary term provided for in the 1953 draft has been eliminated, no candidate designated by a commission can become a judge unless the voters say he shall become one," Sears said.

He said the new draft also provides that the proposed system for selecting judges be presented to the voters for approval or disapproval at the 1958 general election.

Lowell T. Malan, 43, Brother of Russell Malan, Dies

Lowell T. Malan, 42, brother of Russell Malan, superintendent of the Harrisburg City schools, died at 11:20 Wednesday night at the Marshall Browning hospital in DuQuoin.

He had been ill for several months, underwent surgery during the summer, and his death was not unexpected.

Mr. Malan was chemist and preparation engineer for the United Electric Coal company at DuQuoin. He was a resident of DuQuoin, a prominent citizen and family man, survived by his widow, the former Ruth Bulmer, and three children, Fred 12, Martha 8, and John 4. Mrs. Malan is the sister of Dale Bulmer, a salesman who formerly resided in Harrisburg.

In addition to Russell Malan of Harrisburg, another brother, Harris of Ann Arbor, Mich., and their mother, Mrs. C. C. Malan, survive.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at DuQuoin. The body was taken from the Schroeder funeral home in DuQuoin.

Seten's to Change Name to Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store Jan. 1

After January 1 the Seten Furniture store will have a new name, the Davenport Furniture and Carpet store.

Announcement was made today by L. N. Davenport, owner and manager of the Seten furniture store, that the name is being changed.

Associated with Mr. Davenport in the operation of the store, on the east side of the Harrisburg square, are two sons, Robert and Tom Davenport.

The Seten furniture store has been a Harrisburg business firm name for approximately a half a century, and L. N. Davenport has been associated with the store for nearly 35 years.

Originally the Ross Seten hardware and furniture store, the hardware and furniture stores were divided around the turn of the century and George W. Seten took over the operation of the Seten Furniture store at the corner now occupied by the Palace Clothing House.

In 1920 George W. Seten sold his store to T. Y. Gregg, Robert Chosser and J. T. Smith. Mr. Smith was manager of the store and hired Mr. Davenport "on a two weeks trial basis" right after the new owners took over. He has been with the store since.

In 1926 Mr. Davenport bought part of the interest of Mr. Smith and became president of the corporation and manager of the store.

The store continued in operation at the northeast corner of the square until fire burned the building in 1947. At that time Mr. Davenport bought out the Gregg and Chosser interests from their widows and moved upstairs over Woolworth's, where the store was in operation until February of 1951, when it moved to its present location.

Mr. Davenport announced that the store would continue with its same policies except that more emphasis would be placed on the floor-covering business.

McClusky Rites Held Today

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. today at the Dorrisville Baptist church for Thomas (Bud) McClusky, who died Christmas day in Pontiac, Mich. Rev. D. S. Smith, assisted by Rev. William P. Smith, church pastor, officiated, and burial was in Sunset Hill cemetery.

Serving as pallbearers were Tom Sauls, Earl Bonten, William Hancock, Roy Lee McClusky, William Breakley and Carl Mills.

Surviving are his wife, May, and three children: John McClusky and Mrs. Lenora Beaver, of Pontiac, Mich., and Thomas McClusky, of Bowling Green, Ky.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He also leaves four sisters, Mrs. Nell Hancock, Mrs. Hazel Alexander, and Mrs. Myrtle Reynolds, Harrisburg, and Mrs. Laura Channey of Punta Gorda, Florida, and four brothers, Otto, Horace and Ezra McClusky, Harrisburg, and Harold McClusky, Pontiac, Mich.

First Baby of 1955 in Harrisburg to Be Showered with Gifts in Annual Derby

It's Baby Derby time again in Harrisburg. Who will be the winner in 1955?

Once again The Daily Register, in cooperation with twenty-six Harrisburg merchants, is sponsoring the annual Baby Derby. The merchants have assembled a number of gifts to be showered on the first baby born in 1955 to parents who are residents of Harrisburg township. And the parents will be remembered too!

The officiating doctor must sign a statement giving the exact time and place of birth, the sex, weight and name of the baby and name and address of the parents. This information is to be brought to The Daily Register office as soon as possible after the birth.

Winner of the 1954 Baby Derby didn't arrive until January was half over. A baby boy was born at 11:15 a. m. Jan. 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson, 817 East Church street.

Here is what the winner will receive from Harrisburg merchants: Pair of Ideal Baby shoes from the Fashion Palace, Hankcraft baby bottle warmer from Skaggs Electric, to mother a pair of Prim hove from Arensmans, six Blue bird nursing bottles complete and a formula pitcher from Ray's Drugs, a comb and brush set from Jackson's Drug store; Automatic Hankcraft bottle

Colder Weather Hits State in Wake of Storms

Weather Bureau Says Temperatures Will Drop Sharply

By United Press

Cold weather rolled into Illinois today in the wake of Wednesday's snow and ice storm.

At least five deaths were attributed to the bitter weather which hit hardest in the northern two-thirds of the state.

The roads in the northern half of Illinois were slippery today with packed ice and snow, a state report said.

Snow, sleet and freezing rains caused utility failures in some cities, including Bloomington and Decatur. Rural power and telephone lines came down in the freezing rain over widespread areas of central Illinois.

Snow piled 10 inches deep west of Chicago. An eight-inch fall was reported at Rockford and Moline. Peoria got three inches.

Storm Takes Toll

Fatalities blamed on the bad weather included two men killed in accidents on ice-slick highways.

The deaths of Reed K. Cheney, 52, Rockford, and of two men in Chicago were attributed to heart attacks suffered while shoveling snow.

The Weather Bureau reported an approaching cold front would drop temperatures to 18-23 degrees in the southern part of the state by late today and to 10-18 in the north.

Light snow flurries were forecast for the northeast section, which was already blanketed with from 3 to 10 inches.

More snow would push Chicago, which was covered with 3 inches, to a new record for yearly precipitation. The Weather Bureau said the city was within .06 of a new mark.

State police warned the colder weather would make roads, turned slushy by Wednesday's snow and rain, treacherous for driving.

The snow and sleet was blamed for many automobile accidents. It also cut phone and power service in many communities, disrupted airline schedules, and battered homes and buildings.

Chicago's western suburbs reported up to eight inches of snow, while the city itself was hit with a three-inch fall. Suburban Elgin reported 10 inches of snow.

A band of sleet and freezing rain stretched across the central part of the state into Indiana and Michigan.

A truck driver, Leland Camp, 43, Decatur, was killed when his vehicle skidded on U. S. 66 near Joliet.

Near Lombard David Dykeman, 39, Winfield, was killed when a car struck his truck on a snow-packed road.

Police reported few serious accidents, but said "many" cars and trucks were skidding off highways.

A big truck jackknifed on U. S. 66 near Bloomington and held up one lane of traffic for an hour.

Phone service was disrupted by freezing rains which broke down power lines at La Place, Pawnee, Chatham, Diverson, Potomac, Pittsfield, Quincy, Clinton and Shelbyville.

Vast Storm is Blamed for 55 Deaths in Nation

By United Press

A furious winter storm swept into the northeast today while another earthquake rocked Eureka, Calif., and floods threatened Pittsburgh and Western Pennsylvania.

In the last 24 hours, the weather had brewed an incredible mixture of blizzards, sleet, rain, heavy snow, sub-zero temperatures and a tornado in various parts of the country.

The vast storm system which paralyzed portions of the Southwest Wednesday was blamed for a total of 55 deaths. They included 26 killed in traffic, 4 who froze or died of exposure, 11 who died of heart attacks or exertion, 5 in miscellaneous accidents and 9 in the crash of an Air Force plane in an Alabama squall.

The Ohio, Monongahela and Allegheny rivers, fed by melting snow and 24 hours of rain, swirled toward flood stage at Pittsburgh's Golden Triangle and in Western Pennsylvania.

Residents of low-lying sections near the rivers were alerted by police. Wharf parking areas were closed where the Allegheny and Monongahela joined to form the Ohio.

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Grant Plea for New Evidence For Dr. Sheppard

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — Common Pleas Judge Edward Blythin today granted Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard an opportunity to present "newly-discovered evidence" that he claims would prove he did not kill his wife.

The motion for a new trial based on such evidence was introduced by Atty. William J. Corrigan. Judge Blythin granted a hearing on the motion for Saturday, Jan. 8. He took under advisement two other defense motions for a new trial, one based on 41 alleged judicial errors, the other on newspaper coverage of the case that was "prejudicial" to the defendant.

Dr. Sheppard was allowed to remain at County Jail pending outcome of the Jan. 8 hearing. The judge said he would not take any "hasty action" in dispatching the 31-year-old brain surgeon to Ohio Penitentiary to start serving his life sentence.

The two-week delay was granted when Corrigan said his case was not completed for court presentation. Judge Blythin said he would rule on the other two motions soon, possibly Friday.

The appeals hearing was delayed 25 minutes while Dr. Sheppard shaved. Corrigan said it was unimportant that the defendant attend the session, scheduled to start at 9:30 a. m., but Judge Blythin insisted on Dr. Sheppard's presence.

Corrigan did not call as witnesses two of the five persons he had subpoenaed.

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Issue Three Oil Drilling Permits

Three oil well permits have been issued at Springfield for tests in Eldorado township. They are:

Richard W. Portis, Evansville, for the Lassater No. 1, SW corner of the NE quarter of Section 15, 85-7E;

Gulf Refining Co., Tulsa, Okla., for the Blanche Jackson No. 1, SE corner of the NW quarter of the NE quarter of Section 10, 85-7E;

Calvert Drilling, Inc., Olney, for the Vangampelaer No. 3, SW corner of the NW quarter of the NE quarter of Section 11, 85-7E.

St. Clair Bound Over to Grand Jury

Raymond C. St. Clair, arraigned before Justice of the Peace Vern Joyner yesterday afternoon on a charge of forgery, was bound over to await the action of the grand jury and his bond was set at \$5,000. He was returned to the Saline county jail.

St. Clair was arrested Tuesday and admitted he had falsified claims for his own benefit at the Unemployment Compensation office here, where he had been employed for a short time.

West European Union Okayed By 287-260 Vote

Action Saves Gov't of Premier Mendes-France

PARIS (AP) — France today approved the West European Union which will put 500,000 West German troops under arms.

The vote saved the government of Premier Pierre Mendes-France and cleared the way for a united Western front against possible Communist aggression.

The official vote was 287-260. France reached its agonizing decision four years and eight governments after the allies first decided to invite the West Germans into a defensive alliance.

Today's vote putting new muscle into the Western alliance which now will stretch unbroken from Turkey to the Baltic climaxed 11 days of debate in which the torn and fearful French Assembly demonstrated repeatedly its fears of any alliance with its ancient enemy.

Most Nations Already Approved

Great Britain already has approved the union (WEU), as has the Italian Chamber of Deputies. It has gone through an early reading in the German Bundestag and is in various stages of approval in the Netherlands and Belgium. Luxembourg will approve after its Benelux neighbors.

Final approval by all nations early in 1955 now is regarded as certain.

It adds 12 German divisions to Gen. Alfred Gruenther's NATO land forces, now training on the basis of atomic weapons.

It permits for the first time the Western allies to negotiate without uncertainty with the Russian bloc—possibly as early as next May in a four-power meeting already proposed by Mendes-France.

Debate Lasted 11 Days

Debate had been scheduled to last four days. It dragged on for 11.

Arrayed against the premier was a solid bloc of 84 Communists committed to a bitter-end fight to prevent a Western front against Russia and her satellites.

Strange bedfellows but voting with the Reds were the extreme rightists represented by the followers of Gen. Charles de Gaulle. Others voted against the premier either because his roughshod tactics had antagonized them or out of irritation because he had refused to support their earlier fight for EDC.

Among the latter was former Premier and Foreign Minister Georges Bidault, an all-out champion of European unity but a disappointed sponsor of EDC.

Premier Coaxes Vote

Under the Mendes-France whip-lash, the Assembly plodded slowly and reluctantly toward final approval.

He made the deputies vote twice on approval of German entry into NATO, and he told them that if they approved NATO membership for the Germans they could not at the same time refuse them arms.

He warned that the United States and Britain had lost patience and would not sit down again with France to seek still a third solution for European unity.

He said France would stand alone and be discredited.

Two confidence votes were called for Wednesday—one on NATO and the other on WEU, heart and soul of the plan for unity since it involves not only organization but control of arms as well.

A Communist-led parliamentary maneuver forced delay on WEU but he rammed through a confidence vote on NATO anyway, and then summoned the deputies into session again at 5 p. m. today.

Sullenly and wearily the deputies responded.

Today there were no speeches.

Court House to Close Tomorrow

The court house will be closed tomorrow, New Year's Eve, it was announced today.

Leo Davis, drivers' license inspector, said that his office on South Main street will close at noon tomorrow.

Purchase Property

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gideumb have purchased the two-story brick residence that belonged to the late Robert Horning on South Main street and plan to move into their new home about the middle of January. Purchase was made from the Horning heirs. Mr. and Mrs. Gideumb and family now reside at 1111 South Webster street.

MINES

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Peabody 43 works.

Blue Bird everything works.

Carmac works.

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Are not five sparrows sold for
two farthings and not one of them
is forgotten before God. I fear not
therefore, ye are of more value
than many sparrows.—Luke 12:6, 7.
Sparrows moult wing feathers in
pairs, one from each wing. Other-
wise they would be the prey of their
enemies. God was not forgetful.

If you have a wall-window com-
bination that demands draperies all
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★ EDSON IN WASHINGTON ★

**New Congress Will Not
Have Many Dull Moments**

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)—There
are plenty of good lights on the
winter sports card of the 84th
Congress. It may produce nothing
as rough or as long-drawn-out as
the McCarthy bout of the past
year. But for good clean political
"rasshin" matches, the next ses-
sion will be anything but dull.

Many of these bouts may start
issues. But these preliminaries are
only curtain-risers to battles
royal that will grow out of them.

For instance: Foreign affairs
are supposed to be nonpartisan and
noncontroversial. Hanging fire as
unfinished business before the
Senate are ratification of the
Manila agreement on Southeast
Asia defense, the mutual assis-
tance pact with Formosa and the
Paris agreements for admission of
Germany to the North Atlantic
Treaty Organization.

All these treaties should be ap-
proved as a matter of routine
business. But they open up the
much larger question of foreign
aid. And a brawl can be started on
this subject any time.

Last year Congress recommend-
ed that plans be made for liquida-
tion of the Foreign Operations Ad-
ministration. Its authority ex-
pires by June 30, 1955. But a new
and possibly expanded aid-for Asia
program is being prepared for
submission to the new Congress.
The odds against a victory for this
plan are tremendous.

Another example is provided by
the reciprocal trade agreements
program. The law expires next
June 12, after a one-year extension
approved by the last Congress.
In going after a three-year exten-
sion or permanent authority to
ceaseless its provisions, the Eisen-
hower administration must present
a completely coordinated program
of foreign economic policy. Full
congressional hearings must be
held this year. And bitter battles
remindful of the old tariff wars
must be fought to get this program
adopted.

National defense fights are ex-
pected to take up a good bit of
time in the new Congress. The draft
law expires next June 30. A simple
extension under present terms
might not be too hard to pass.

But in taking up this subject
the Congress must explore the new
Department of Defense manpower
and reserve policy. This calls for
not universal military training as
originally conceived, but for some-
thing akin to it. And that means a
year of work.

In the new reserve program
which is being put into effect, it will
mean cutting down on the size of
the regular armed forces. That will
mean a further home-front fight.
For the Democrats have been critical of the
Republican administration's cur-
rentment of defense spending, par-
ticularly on the Air Force. So the
most critical of the military had
a good reason to oppose the new
policy.

It is not only the military and the
foreign military, as is

tance program, Sen. William F.
Knowland (R., Calif.) may have a
chance to get in his suggested com-
plete reappraisal of American
foreign policy. The Democrats
would probably help him.

On the domestic front, labor leg-
islation is always good for a hassle
and next year should be no excep-
tion, with the Democrats again in
control of Congress. It will be a
three-phase battle at least. Phase
I—Whether or not to revise the
Taft-Hartley labor law. Phase II
Whether or not to raise the mini-
mum wage above the present 75-
cents-an-hour level. Phase III
Whether to increase unemployment
insurance payments and broaden
coverage.

Sparked by certain fight over the
Dixon-Yates contract to let a pri-
vate utility supply power to the
Tennessee Valley Authority, the
vast subject of national water
policy is due for an airing.
A special task force under ex-
President Herbert Hoover's Com-
mission on Reorganization of Gov-
ernment will submit its report on
this subject early next year. At
stake here is the problem of how
big or small the federal govern-
ment's role should be in public
power and reclamation develop-
ments.

Trying to make the Post Office
Department self-supporting by rais-
ing postal rates enough to cover
mail handling costs will bring the
usual resistance from pressure
groups that want subsidized ser-
vice.

No matter how this fight comes
out—the measure has always been
defeated in the past—there will be
the usual demand to raise the pay
of postal workers and all other
government employees. This year
they may get it, including a whip-
ping big raise for congressmen
themselves, and federal judges.

There is never a dull moment in
fight for the New Year in Wash-
ington.

**John Wayne Listed
Top Box Office
Attraction in Poll**

HOLLYWOOD IF Actor John
Wayne was listed as the top box
office attraction today in the an-
nual money-making star poll con-
ducted by the Motion Picture Her-
ald.

Next behind Wayne in the top
box office was Dean Martin and Jerry
Lewis. Gary Cooper, James Ste-
wart, Marilyn Monroe, Alan Ladd,
William Holden, Bing Crosby, Jane
Wyman and Marlon Brando.



TO CONDUCT REVIVAL—The
Rev. J. Edgar Hill, Poplar Bluff,
Mo., is the evangelist assisting the
Rev. Walter Fuller, pastor of the
First Church of God, Carrier Mills,
Ill., in a revival meeting, which starts
tonight at 7 p. m. A song service
will begin the meeting at 6 p. m.
Admission free.

BRUSHY

Christmas family get-togethers
in this community were reported
as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Inman Tate and
son, James, had dinner with a coun-
cil, Mrs. Maggie Summers of Dale.
Bill McElrath and family and his
sister, Mrs. Gladys Dehart and chil-
dren and Mrs. Allen Allen and hus-
band were guests of their parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank McElrath of
Harrisburg. Others attending were
Mrs. Rose McElrath and children,
Mrs. Ollie Clayton and Mrs. Pearl
Allen.

Mrs. Lucy Holland had Christmas
dinner with her son, Paul and fam-
ily, who with the following had
supper with his mother: Arthur
Holland, Elmer Holland, Con Web-
ber, Rev. Rudolph Barnett and
their families and Everett Taylor.
John T. Upton spent the day
with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Henn. The
Henns had Christmas eve supper
with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill and
family.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Drott and
family visited with Mrs. Stella Mil-
ligan of West Frankfort. Other
children present for the day were
Emery Milligan, Vernon Milligan
and family of Virden, Emerson Mil-
ligan of Elgin and Mrs. Wright Cot-
ter and family of Raleigh.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Drott visited
his mother, Mrs. Emma Drott of
Thompsonville, as did the Reno
Drotts and N. G. Drotts and the
Drott Marvel families, the latter
from Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Rice were
host and hostess to the following:
Mr. and Mrs. Oral Rice of East
Alton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rice
and family of West Frankfort, Mr.
and Mrs. Bill Peyton and children
of Raleigh, Mrs. Dean Pierson of
Harrisburg, and Mrs. Chloe Rice
and Mrs. Eliza King of West Frank-
fort.

The Gobel Dutton family had all
the children home for Christmas
including the son, Mr. Willie E.
Dutton, recently of Ft. Bliss, Tex.,
but scheduled for overseas duty
via Fort Lewis, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen had
dinner with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Curt Allen. The latter visited
Mrs. Allen's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Thompson, later in the day.
Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gollhofer vis-
ited her father, Will Vantrease.
They had supper with Mr. and Mrs.
Leland Hayes and family as did
Mr. Hayes' twin brother, Lemuel.
Rev. and Mrs. Volla Sittig and
family were with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Vola Sittig Sr. for the
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Kelly enter-
tained the following: Mr. and Mrs.
James Allen and daughter, Mr. and
Mrs. Carl Lange of St. Louis, Mr.
and Mrs. Herman Malone and Mr.
and Mrs. Chas. Malone and daugh-
ter.

Mr. and Mrs. Elb Allen spent the
day with a son, Harry Lee, and
family of West Frankfort.
The Joe Riegel descendants held
their Christmas dinner at the old
home place with Mr. and Mrs. Wal-
ter Patterson and daughter, Opal,
entertaining. Those attending were
the John C. Small family, Bedie
Jenkins, Pauline Shea, Carl Harris
and family and K. E. Patterson
and family. Following a sumptu-
ous meal of noon Buena and Wil-
ma Patterson conducted some quiz
and catch games, led the group in
Christmas carols and sang a duet.
Carl Harris gave a reading. The
generous Christmas tree produced
numerous gifts for all. After din-
ner rhymes, always a part of the
hostess' program, proved entertain-
ing. The 1955 host and hostess
will be Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harris.
Union Chapel will hold a watch
night program Friday evening to
which the public is invited.

Meat Eaters
The average American eats about
140 pounds of red meat a year. If
in uniform, he may expect nearly
four-fifths of a pound a day, or
288 pounds a year.

Named for Statue
The Colosseum had been called
the Flavian Amphitheater, but
came to be known as the Colosseum
from the color of the statue of the
petrified Nero which stood nearby.



When Horace Crain came to the
end of his speech, Kirby stepped
forward again. "And now," he
cried enthusiastically, "we'll turn
back the clock and give you a day
in Dead Man's Gulch." There was
a pistol shot and the parade started
to move: the covered wagon
pursued by Indians, a mimic stage-
coach robbery punctuated by blank
cartridges; cowboys doing fancy
riding; somewhere toward the end
of the procession Hannah rode
alone followed to her immense sur-
prise by whistles. When the pa-
rade had streamed past the win-
dows, Daggett saw Rupert holding
forth to a group of dazzled wom-
en and an oldtimer selling minia-
ture covered wagons that were to
be used as cigarette boxes.

The passing crowd blurred, be-
came dreamlike. "The time of my
life," Daggett thought contentedly.
At some point he dozed and real-
ized it when he opened his eyes
to see the lengthening shadows
and Greg once more at his side.
Quite a little group had collected,
among them the Crains and Rupert
and Kirby. Hannah stood by her-
self in the background. Daggett
experienced an old man's embar-
rassment at being caught napping.

Crain was beaming. "Wonderful
place you've got here, Mr. Daggett.
I'd have come just to meet you.
Want to know what you've got that
brought out that young man of
mine. You already had some tele-
grams. The first reactions are tremen-
dous." He turned to his wife.
"Millicent, my dear, my public
relations man suggests you stroll
down the road with him and meet
some of these good people."

His wife gave him her slow,
lovely smile. "If you want me to
appear at the dance tonight," she
said gently, a touch of steel in
her voice, "I must have some rest
now. I shall be in my room for
the next couple of hours and I
do hope it won't be necessary to
disturb me."

Hannah's eyes followed the
graceful woman thoughtfully as
she went out of the lobby and up
the stairs of the hotel. She could,
as she had supposed, learn a great
deal from Greg's mother.
Crain watched his wife with an
expression of pride and pleasure.
He turned back to Daggett. "My
boy here," and he patted Greg's
shoulder, "has come across in fine
fashion."

"It was all Mr. Daggett," Greg
said.

If the day had been noisy, the
night was wild. A gun fight care-
fully stage-managed competed with
the music of the square dances.

Everyone was having a wonderful
time.
Greg looked in at the dance hall.
Rupert was dancing with Millicent
Crain. Greg looked around for
Hannah but she was not there.
Hannah was probably with Kirby
though Greg had expected Kirby
to be in the center of a crowd some-
where. Kirby had surprised him,
he'd been so good at his job, light-
hearted, quick-witted, with an in-
fectious kind of enthusiasm that
generated more of the same.
Then the door opened and Han-
nah made a spectacular appear-
ance, wearing a trailing, Lillian
Russell dress of dark red velvet,
her hair piled in little curls on her
head, a big plumed hat slanting
over one eye, glamorous, glowing
over one eye, glamorous, glowing.

Greg was lost in the stampe-
de. It was late before he had a chance
to dance with Hannah and then he
was not sure that he enjoyed it.
He held her in his arms but the
body he held was encased in a
rigid corset. Hannah was remote
in other ways, too. She did not
ask about his trip. She did not
apologize for having left the old
man. Her attention was on the
crowded floor, not on him.
At last Greg said sulkily, "I'll
be pulling out tomorrow."

"Uncle Wade told me,"
Greg was outraged. "Don't you
care?" When she made no reply
he said crossly, "I wish you'd take
off that confounded hat. I can't
see your face." They were near
the door and he led her outside.
"It's hot in here. Let's walk."

"I don't want to," Hannah ob-
jected. "I'd ruin this trailing skirt."

Greg was taken aback. To the
best of his knowledge, she had in-
variably agreed to any suggestion
that was made to her. He picked
her up, lifted her onto the seat of
the covered wagon and scrambled
up beside her. Lights from the
ballroom made her bare shoulders
look like thick cream, but her face
was still in shadow.

"What are you figuring on do-
ing?" he asked as the silence
lengthened.

"I want to get married," Han-
nah said simply.

"Well, for heaven's sake!" Greg
loosened his collar. "Why couldn't
you say so? Do you want one of
those fussy public weddings so you
can furnish your house by black-
making other people into giving
you presents, or just a private
one?"

She pulled off the big hat and
dropped it on her lap. He could
see her face now, the eyes huge
and shadowy, Rossetti eyes, the
mouth full and warm and sweet.

"If that is supposed to be a pro-

**Eureka, Calif.,
Area Again Hit
By Earthquake**

EUREKA, Calif. (AP)—A sharp
earthquake rocked the Eureka area
today, breaking windows and wid-
ening cracks in buildings jolted by
a strong tremor just before Christ-
mas.

The quake, felt at about 1:10 a.
m., was strong enough to rouse
thousands of residents in Eureka
and surrounding communities. Po-
lice and sheriff's deputies said they
were "swamped" with calls.

Residents in Arcata, a small town
about seven miles northeast of Eu-
reka, reported the quake broke
windows and that they had replaced
only a few days ago because of the
Dec. 21 quake.

The Dec. 21 quake caused an es-
timated two million dollars damage
in Eureka and the surrounding area.
One man was killed and several
score persons were injured.

Hanging is the only method of
capital punishment in the state of
Washington.

"posi," she said breathlessly, but
with a hint of steel in her voice.
"You'll have to do better than that."

Down the dusty road a man stag-
gered, talking loudly to himself.
"A woman always has her revenge
ready, Mollie," Kirby declaimed
to the night. "Every woman should
marry and no man, Disraeli. A
woman is necessarily an evil. Me-
nander."

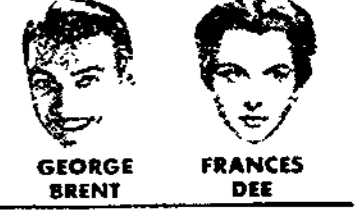
Greg laughed. "Benedict the
married man, Shakespeare." He
took her in his arms.

THE END

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Friday Night
10 to 12

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on and after January 1, 1955

THE SETEN FURNITURE STORE

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Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store

It has been the privilege of L. N. Davenport, proprietor of The Seten Furniture Store,
to serve the many friends and customers of this store for 35 years. First as an em-
ployee of The Seten Furniture Store, Inc. and for several years as President and Man-
ager of The Seten Furniture Company, Inc.

In 1947 L. N. Davenport purchased the entire interests of The Seten Furniture Com-
pany, Inc., which has since been known as The Seten Furniture Store.

The management of the business is now under the supervision of L. N. DAVENPORT,
ROBERT S. DAVENPORT and THOMAS E. DAVENPORT and on and after January 1,
1955 the business will be known as:

Davenport Furniture and Carpet Store

There will be no change in the policies of the business and it will be our sincere aim
to continue to sell the latest styles and finest qualities of furniture and carpets at the
lowest possible prices.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank you, our customers and friends, for your
loyal patronage during the years that have passed and to solicit your continued con-
fidence that has enabled us to progress thus far.

May the Year of 1955 be one of complete JOY, HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY for you
all.

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ROBERT S. DAVENPORT
L. L. GUILLETT
BERTIS L. REED
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Social and Personal Items

Miss Paula Jo Holland, Max Eugene Swan Wed at Union Chapel Church



Mr. and Mrs. Max Eugene Swan

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Holland of the Dorris Heights community are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Paula Jo, to Max Eugene Swan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swan, 511 South Main.

The double ring wedding ceremony was performed by Rev. Vola Sittig in the Union Chapel Cumberland Presbyterian church on Christmas eve at 7:30.

The scene for the wedding was a white arch entwined with palms with baskets of white gladioli at each side, flanked with candelabra containing 14 lighted candles. Palm leaves served as a background.

The bride, escorted to the altar and given in marriage by her father, chose a ballerina length gown of white lace and net (fashioned with a lace bolero with long sleeves tapering to a point over the hand. Her veil of illusion was secured to a tiara of seed pearls. She wore a single strand of pearls at the V-shaped neckline and carried on a white Bible, which was a gift of the bridegroom, a pink orchid with lily of the valley on satin streamers. She also carried a white linen and lace handkerchief which was a gift of a friend. The bride wore the traditional "something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue," the old being a silver coin from a collection of old money belonging to her grandfather, the late William E. McElroy.

Miss Mary Alice Holland, sister of the bride, wore a pink net and lace gown with a pink net and taffeta petal-pleated headband. She carried a colonial bouquet of white chrysanthemums and rose buds. Darline Guye, three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Guye, was flower girl, dressed in a green taffeta ankle length gown with matching head piece. She sprinkled rose petals in the path of the bride.

Candlelighters were Linda Riegel and Judy McElrath who wore matching dresses of pink net and taffeta with headbands of pleated net. The father of the bridegroom served as best man.

Richard Norris and Junior Rice were ushers.

Mrs. Robert Keltner presided at the piano, playing appropriate wedding music and accompanying Miss Judy Cook who sang "Day of Golden Promises" and "O Promise Me."

The bride's mother was attired in a frock of open blue nylon with white accessories and a white corsage of carnations, and Mrs. Swan, mother of the bridegroom, wore navy blue crepe with white accessories and a carnation corsage also.

One hundred and twenty five guests attended a reception held in the lower rooms of the Dorris Heights school which was beautifully decorated in keeping with the yuletide spirit. The reception table was centered with a three tiered cake topped with a miniature bride and groom and surrounded with pink rose buds, evergreens and pink Christmas balls. The table was placed against a background of white with evergreens and pink and green balls.

The bride's table was covered with a hand made Chinese silk cloth, and the gift table was centered with a small snow-sprayed Christmas tree with pink decorations.

Hostesses were Mrs. Hazel Anderson, Mrs. Dean Guye, Mrs. Hazel McElrath, and Mrs. Mabel Pankey, Mrs. Wilma Gideumb and Mrs. Lavern Sittig.

The bride and groom are now at home in Dorris Heights in a house formerly occupied by the bride's grandmother. Both are graduates of the Harrisburg Township high school with the class of 1954. Mrs. Swan is employed as cashier and record librarian at the Lighter hospital, and Mr. Swan is with the Kroger store in Harrisburg.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pankey, Vienna, Rev. Albert Burris, Belknap, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stone, Collinsville, Rev. Lester Laur, Coulterville, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Drott, East St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Kendall, Marion, A 3-c Everett Taylor of Mountain Home, Idaho, who is on a furlough, and Donald G. Upchurch S. A. who is stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training base.

Also among the guests were the two grandmothers of the bride, Mrs. W. E. McElroy and Mrs. Lucy Holland and a great-great aunt, Mrs. Martha E. Burris of Vienna, and the bridegroom's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Swan.

Rev. Waldo Adams, former pastor of the First Christian church in Harrisburg, now living in Quincy, Ill., suffered his second severe heart attack Dec. 21 and was taken to the Blessing hospital in Quincy where he will be confined for several days. Rev. Adams' first attack was Thanksgiving day of 1951 when he spent eight weeks in the hospital and was totally disabled for more than a year. His condition at this time is greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibbons and daughter, Robin, of East Peoria, spent Christmas week end in Harrisburg visiting with Mrs. Gibbons mother, Mrs. Mary Carman, and Mrs. Gibbons' grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bristow. They are former residents of Harrisburg.

Miss Mona Sonheaver, who attends Bible college in Springfield, Mo., visited with her mother through the holidays in Detroit, Mich. They are formerly of Harrisburg.

Mrs. Guy Patterson has returned from a Christmas holiday visit with her son, Guy K. Patterson, and family at Birmingham, Ala.

Mrs. Grace Miller Hostess To First Baptist Bethany Class

The Bethany class of the First Baptist church met with the teacher, Mrs. Grace Miller, recently for a Christmas party. Mrs. Barbara McDowell was co-hostess.

As the guests entered they were served hot cranberry punch. The Miller living room was beautifully decorated in keeping with the yuletide spirit. Preceding the party the members had presented a program of Christmas carols on radio station WEBQ.

The devotion was given by Mrs. McDowell who spoke on the "Second Christmas."

Games were played and gifts exchanged after which refreshments were served. Favors of orange dolls were given to each member.

The following were present: Mrs. Georgia Abney, Mrs. Jean Boyett, Mrs. Betty Cook, Mrs. Mary Lou Doerge, Mrs. Maxine King, Mrs. Anna Fay McSparrin, Mrs. Jean Parker, Mrs. Betty Rose, Mrs. Leona Sutton, Mrs. Joyce Becker, Mrs. Marjory Brannock, Mrs. Winnie Butler, Mrs. Carla Cape, Mrs. Barbara Feazel, Mrs. Geneva Gibbs, Mrs. Amanda Mitchell, Mrs. Anita Morman, Mrs. Marjory Sowers, Mrs. Evelyn Fletcher, Mrs. Marjorie Miller, and a guest, Miss Frances Cummins, who accompanied the members on their radio program.

Liberty Baptist Church Organizes G. A. Group

Recently the young girls from the ages of 9 to 13 met at the Liberty church with their counselors, Miss Wanda Pyles, Mrs. George Pyles, Mrs. Cummins and two of her young girls, Miss Dixie Endsley and Miss Sally Smith, to organize a club.

Following this meeting a mother and daughter banquet was held with Miss Wanda Pyles explaining what G. A. stood for and answered any questions the group had. The following were installed as officers: President, Dixie Owen; vice president, Karen Winkelman; secretary and treasurer, Ann Morrow; program chairman, Gaynelle Bristol; and community mission chairman, Carolyn Douglas. Other members were Peggy Douglas and Phyllis Hull.

The counselor, Miss Wanda Pyles, was then hostess to a Christmas party and regular meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Miss Dixie Owen, and the minutes were read by the secretary, Ann Morrow. Topics were given by Ann Morrow, Dixie Owen and Karen Winkelman. The group sang "We've a Story to Tell," "O Come All Ye Faithful," and "Joy to the World."

A short party followed and refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. George Pyles.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Givens celebrated their wedding anniversary Wednesday with a dinner which was attended by her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Harris, and her cousins, Mrs. Nova Hawk, Mrs. John Hutton, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maynard. Her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weir, Raleigh, were here to spend Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Givens.

Calendar Of Meetings

Notice Masons. Special meeting Harrisburg Lodge No. 325, A. F. & A. M., Friday 6:45 p. m. Work in F. C. degree. Louie M. Stricklin, W. M.

The Stewardess board of Bethel A.M.E. church will serve a birthday luncheon at the church Friday at 7:30 p. m. The public is invited. Goldie Pritchard, pres.

Marriage Licenses

Bill Jones, 26, Eldorado Route 3, and Virginia Prather, 19, Raleigh.

Brownell to Add 27 Groups to Subversive List

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Gen. Herbert Brownell Jr. notified 27 organizations today that he intended to add them to his list of subversive organizations on grounds they are Communist-dominated.

Brownell gave the organizations 10 days to request a hearing at which they would have an opportunity to produce evidence to show why they should not be designated as subversive.

There now are 254 organizations, including the Communist Party and the Ku Klux Klan, on the attorney general's list. Brownell has said he intends to put the National Lawyers Guild on the list. That case is now pending in the courts.

The list is used primarily to guide government security officials in determining whether or not a government employee is a security risk.

The 27 organizations which received notices from Brownell are scattered throughout the country.

Stromboli

Volcano Erupts

STROMBOLI, Sicily (AP)—Molten lava poured out of Stromboli's volcano today and down a "valley of fire" to the sea.

Latest reports said the lava was moving at the relatively high speed of 12 miles an hour.

Three Italian volcano experts were expected on this tiny island today to determine whether the eruption will end or go on to become one of the most spectacular in years.

The eruption combined with 20 registered earth tremors during the past week to terrorize inhabitants. Many are fleeing to Sicily.



Miss Sherry Lynne Hensley

The engagement of Miss Sherry Lynne Hensley and Donald Robert Chambers is being announced by Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hensley.

The wedding is tentatively planned upon the completion of his cadet class training in the United States Air Force when he will receive his commission as a second lieutenant with pilot training.

The bride-to-be is graduated from the Harrisburg Township high school and attended MacMurray college at Jacksonville.

Mr. Chambers, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Everett Chambers Sr., is also a graduate of the Harrisburg Township high school and attended two years at the University of Illinois where his fraternity was Alpha Delta Phi. He also attended one year at Southern Illinois university. He received his pilot license to fly at the age of seventeen.

Carrier Mills Register

Kenneth Hart Correspondent

DISTRIBUTE 42 CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Forty-two Christmas baskets were distributed in Carrier Mills last week by members of the IOOF and Rebekahs of Carrier Mills.

Aiding the two organizations in this worthy enterprise were Wolf's Bottling company and Pankey's Bakery, both of Harrisburg, and Lewis Brothers Bakery of Anna.

The committee in charge of arrangement consisted of Hillis Mathews, Raymond Davidson and James Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Chase Jr. and children, Terry and Gary, of Evansville, Ind., returned home last week after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Mallory and sons, Dickie and Rickie, of Evansville, Ind., visited Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase over the week end. On Christmas day they were joined by Mrs. Glendall Chase and son, Freddie, of Vienna, and later in the evening by Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Greer and daughter, Gail, of Ridgway.

Mrs. Glendall Chase and son, Freddie, and Mrs. Jade Crews of Vienna visited Mr. and Mrs. Jade Chase Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hammond and children, Clara and Mary, and Mrs. Ellen Watson spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oglesby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mings and children, Gary and Sharon, from Lockport, spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Minge and relatives, and with Mrs. Mildred Bradley and family of near Raleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Oglesby and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mings and family, Everett Mings of Lockport, and Grant Mings, who has recently been discharged from the army, were among those who spent Christmas day at the home of Alvis Mings.

Revis Busler, who is in the army, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Busler, and other relatives and friends of the Long Branch community.

J. C. Durham, who is working in Chicago, is spending the holidays with his family at his home near Hamburg.

Illinois Coal Production Less Than 1953

SPRINGFIELD (AP)—Illinois coal production during 1954 should reach about 41 1/2 million tons, Mines and Minerals Director Ben H. Schull said today.

The estimated 1954 production was based on the 26,429,728-ton production figure for the first 11 months of the year. The estimated 1954 production would be 9.6 per cent below 1953 production.

Illinois production will account for about 10.6 per cent of the estimated national output to 300 million tons, Schull said.

Schull said there were fewer mine accidents in the first 11 months of this year than during the same period in 1953, with 22 fatal and 967 non-fatal mine accidents for the 11-month period.

The 1953 figures were 26 fatal and 1,291 non-fatal accidents, the director said.

During the first 11 months of 1954 state mine inspectors closed 39 mines and 12 sections of mines for safety violations. Most of these mines reopened in a few days, Schull said.

Two mine rescue stations and the state analytical laboratory were relocated in 1954. The Bend station was combined with the Springfield station and the Herrin station was moved to Benton and combined with the Benton station. The analytical laboratory was moved from Springfield to W. Frankfort.

Firm, 10 Persons Charged with War Surplus Fraud

CHICAGO (AP)—The government today filed suits totaling \$522,430 against a surplus goods firm and 10 persons, including one prominent politician, on charges that they conspired to buy war surplus material fraudulently.

Defendants included the Smith and Wesson Co., a surplus goods firm having no connection with the firearms company, and William J. Baimar, 63, Republican committee man from Chicago's 17th Ward and reputed patronage handler for Sen. Everett M. Dirksen (R-Ill.).

The suits charge that the defendants conspired to use veterans' priority certificates fraudulently to buy surplus war material from the government in 1946.

WSIL-TV Program Channel 22

THURSDAY — P. M.

5:40—Information Bureau
5:55—Weather Vane
6:00—Cactus Pete
6:30—Lucky LeRoy
6:45—Front Page
7:00—International Playhouse
7:30—Amos 'n' Andy
8:00—Heart of the City
8:30—T Men in Action
9:00—Stop the Music
9:30—Ford Theatre
10:00—Family Playhouse
11:00—Sign Off

FRIDAY

10:00—Here's Lucky Show
10:30—It's Fun to Draw
11:00—Coffee Club
11:45—Film
12:00—Sign Off

SATURDAY

5:40—Information Bureau
5:55—Weather Vane
6:00—Cactus Pete
6:30—Lucky LeRoy Show
6:45—Front Page
7:00—Ray Bolger Show
7:30—The Vise
8:00—Country Carnival
8:30—Film
8:45—Western Playhouse
9:45—Four-Star Final
10:00—Family Playhouse
11:00—Sign Off

Long Branch By Mrs. Lloyd M. Oglesby

A special watch service will be held at the Long Branch Baptist church Friday night. Every one is welcome.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Ward spent Christmas day in Dellafield, Ill., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riddle of Gary, Ind., is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Tate and family.

John D. Adams has gone to Murfreesboro, Tenn., to visit relatives and friends during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Allison of St. Louis spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Edwards and family spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

Rev. Bluford Sloan and family spent Christmas eve with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Sloan and family, and left Christmas day for Texas for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pemberton and family arrived Monday to visit with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Pemberton.

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Only 27 Per Cent To Benefit from Military Pay Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)—Only about 27 per cent of the Army's enlisted men would benefit from the military pay raises President Eisenhower will submit to Congress next month.

The reason is that no pay boost will be given to officers and men having less than two years service. But those with longer service will get raises ranging from 1.23 per cent of the Army's officers and to all but an estimated 14,000 Army personnel and 200,000 Air Force men.

The military pay raise plan, under new "fringe benefits," will cost the taxpayer about 750 million dollars a year, but this could be offset largely by the 402,000 men at the President has ordered in the line of the armed forces.

The administration also plans to ask Congress for pay increases for classified Civil Service workers, which will cost about 202 million annually, plus raises for postal workers. The amount of the increase for the postal workers was not specified.

Special Watch Service Friday Night at Carrier Mills Baptist Church

Special watch service will be held at the Carrier Mills Baptist church, Friday evening the pastor, Rev. Ernest Ammon, announced.

From 7 to 8 p. m. in the Junior department of the Sunday school will furnish the music and singing of the service and Rev. George Smith of Stonefort will preach.

From 8 to 9 the young people will furnish music and Rev. H. L. Waters will preach. Rev. Waters is from Walnut Ridge, Ark.

From 9 to 10 special music by Noble Brandon's quartet.

Lunch hour will be at 10:15. Each family is asked to bring sandwiches or a pie and the church will furnish coffee and pop.

11 to 12, film. Sermon by the pastor and after prayer at midnight.

The public is invited. There will be a short intermission between each hour of service.

It is not until the second or third day after the new phase that the crescent moon can be seen.

Christians' Hour To Begin Over WEBQ Sunday at 6 p. m.



Arthur Godfrey

The Christmas hour, "New Testament Christianity on the Air," will begin broadcasting over WEBQ Sunday, Jan. 2, at 6 p. m.

The program is sponsored by the Christian churches of Harrisburg and Eldorado where Rev. Glen Daugherty and Rev. Loren Griffith, respectively, are ministers. The Christmas Hour is in its 12th year and is being broadcast over 47 stations from coast to coast, including an outlet in Hawaii and Brazil.

And Haven of the Broadway Christian church in Lexington, Ky., has served as speaker on the program since its inception in 1943.

Post Office to Halt Delivery Of 'Junk Mail'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield announced today that postal distribution of so-called "junk mail" will be discontinued at midnight next March 31.

The so-called "junk mail" was started on an experimental basis 15 months ago. It permitted third class advertising matter to be sent without names and addresses in cities and villages. The advertising matter could be marked merely "boxholder," "householder" or "patron."

The results have not satisfactorily met these objectives and the only possible solution is increased postage rates which will be sought in the next session of the Congress, Summerfield said.

The unaddressed mail brought a flood of protests. Sen. Frank Carlson (R-Kan.), retiring chairman of the Senate Post Office committee, recently recommended that Summerfield scrap the order.

The Post Office said that discontinuance of its order will not effect delivery of unaddressed mail on rural routes or to post office boxholders where no city or village delivery service is available. Also continued will be delivery in cities and villages of mail addressed to "occupant" but bearing a proper street address. These services have been in effect since 1934.

At the time Godfrey denied he fired the popular La Rosa because of a romance between him and Dorothy McGuire, member of a sister trio that appears on Godfrey's programs.

Archie Bleyer was removed as musical director of the Godfrey show at the same time and later married Janet Ertel, a former singer on Godfrey's programs.

New Year Party Tonight By Salvation Army

C. C. Porter will present a magician show at a special program at the Salvation Army's New Year party tonight at 7:30 in the Salvation Army hall, 512 West Locust. The public is invited and there will be candy treats, oranges and apples for those who attend.

Nicotine in tobacco ranges from two to seven per cent in the raw product.

Your Friday's Lunch... SALMON LOAF hollandaise sauce... 60c with scalloped potatoes, cabbage and carrot salad, roll and butter.

SCHNIERLE'S Serving the Best in Food Since 1936

Thursday, December 30, 1954

Godfrey Wishes Marion Marlowe 'All the Best'

NEW YORK (AP)—Arthur Godfrey appeared on television Wednesday night with Marion Marlowe, fiancée of the man he fired a few hours earlier, and wished her "all the best."

Godfrey, who sometimes fires his help in a rather public manner—like a coast-to-coast television hook-up—Wednesday dropped Larry Puck as producer of his Wednesday night television show.

The apparently unexpected dismissal came shortly after Miss Marlowe began flashing a 6 1/2 carat diamond engagement ring Puck had given her at Christmas.

Godfrey denied that romance within "his family" was the cause of the firing and said Puck had asked to be relieved of the Wednesday night show because he was overworked.

"Do I Look Sick?" However, when Puck was asked why he was dropped he said: "Damned if I know. Do I look sick. I look pretty good, don't I?"

Puck confirmed he was engaged to Miss Marlowe, 25, and said he didn't know he was fired until he returned from a vacation in Bermuda and Florida Tuesday night.

In 1953 Godfrey got into hot water with his public when he fired singer Julius La Rosa during a television show.

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Your Friday's Lunch... SALMON LOAF hollandaise sauce... 60c with scalloped potatoes, cabbage and carrot salad, roll and butter.

SCHNIERLE'S Serving the Best in Food Since 1936

Sentence Man At Benton; Two Sailors Fined

BENTON, Ill.—(AP)—Three men jailed Tuesday for causing a tavern disturbance and attacking arresting officers today pleaded guilty to resisting arrest.

Billy Ray Grieves, 25, was sentenced to a year at Vandalia State Penal Farm. Thomas Grieves, his brother, and William Valerius, 20, two sailors on leave, were fined \$200 and \$15 costs each. They were released after paying fines and went back to naval duty.

William Spiller, 21, in Marion Veterans Hospital with a chest wound, must still stand trial on a similar charge. All four were from Bilkville.

He showed me HOW TO DO IT... SAFELY!

Do you have a hobby—or are you "haughty around the house"? Then you'll find an extra advantage in talking to your Home Insurance agent. Call on us today and receive your free copy of "Tips to the Handyman-Hobbyist on How to Do It Safely," a new 48-page booklet showing the safe way to work on your home or hobby.

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Midkiff Bldg. Phone 707 Harrisburg

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OUR BIGGEST YEAR-END SALE

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New Selections — New Regrouping!

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WINTER COATS

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Hundreds of Selected Quality Fashions!

Look for the Sale Tags throughout the Entire Store!

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Open Tonight 'til 8 p. m.

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While Mother's A-Resting

A beautiful pair of those famous Nite-Life House Shoes. . . . Everyone knows they're the most comfortable and longer lasting of the slippers. Our very best wishes to Harrisburg's first baby.



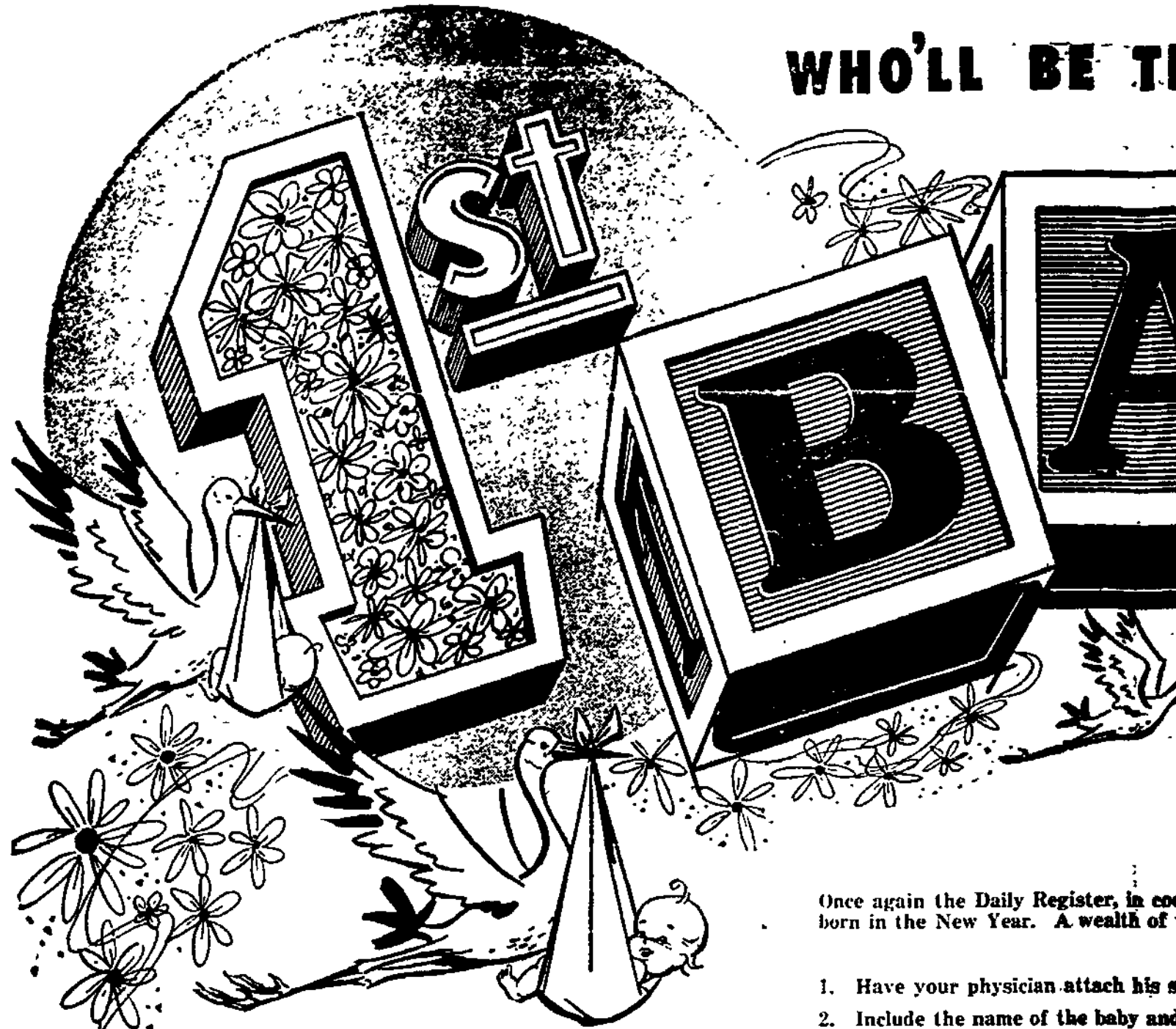
North Side of the Square

Say, That Kitchen

may get cluttered, what with extra bottles, nipples, etc., so here's a colorful, useful all metal kitchen utility table from your friendly furniture store—

Craggs-DeViliez

Clinic Building—Harrisburg



Once again the Daily Register, in cooperation with the Harrisburg Chamber of Commerce, has born in the New Year. A wealth of

1. Have your physician attach his name to the card.
2. Include the name of the baby and date of birth.
3. Contest limited to RESIDENTS of Harrisburg.
4. Information should be brought to the office of the contest manager, who will be declared the winner of the 1955 contest. The big array of gifts provided by the contest manager.



The Proper Beginning

. . . unless baby is born with a silver spoon in its mouth, is this lovely Holmes & Edwards spoon and fork starter set, with our sincere compliments.

REMEMBER FOLKS, IT'S

WINKLEMAN'S

Sugar-Booger or Bean-Snapper?

. . . whichever the new arrival may be, Pankey's Bakery has two of those delicious Lucky LeRoy Cakes of the Week for two weeks, for mom, dad, and the rest of the family.

PANKEY'S

Baked Fine Since 1909

The Best of Everything

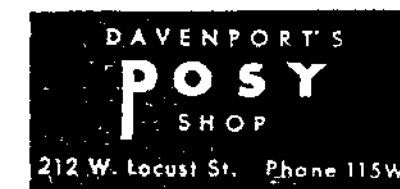
To the '55 winner, and with our compliments goes a Playtex Dryper panty set with a box of Dryper pads for quick, easy changes.

SKAGGS PHARMACY

South Side Square

When the Winner Is Announced

. . . the Posy Shop will welcome the mother and child with a beautiful flower arrangement, presented with our heartiest best wishes.



To Help Meet Emergencies

. . . there's always one item in demand: diapers, and here's a half-dozen fine snowy white diapers with our sincere congratulations to the winner's family.

BROKERAGE

For Mom and Dad

We'll Clean and Press
A Suit and Dress!

Best Wishes From

BROWNIE

To Announce the Arrival

. . . the Daily Register's commercial printing department will supply 50 birth announcements and envelopes.

Register Commercial Department

Mom Gets

A wonderful pair of the They're the best and she of her gift from us. On new number one of Harrisburg's

ARENS

A Lifetime of Good Health

. . . needs a sound basis—rich, wholesome milk! Harrisburg Dairy Products will provide a quart of vitamin-rich, nourishing DAIR BRAND milk each day for a whole month to the winner.

Dairy Brand

The Young'un's Portrait

. . . is something you'll cherish forever, and here's the portrait, and an album to put it in, with our compliments.

The Foster Studio

Over Skaggs Pharmacy

A Gift Certificate from

THE LYNN SHOP

The Children's Store

For the lucky first we have a \$2.00 Gift Certificate and a selection of new baby fashions. Dress up Number 1 here.

THE LYNN SHOP

North Side Square

To Protect Baby's Health

Safest for Baby . . . Convenient for Mother. Six Bluebird Nursing Bottles complete "Stay-Sterile" . . . Also a formula pitcher.

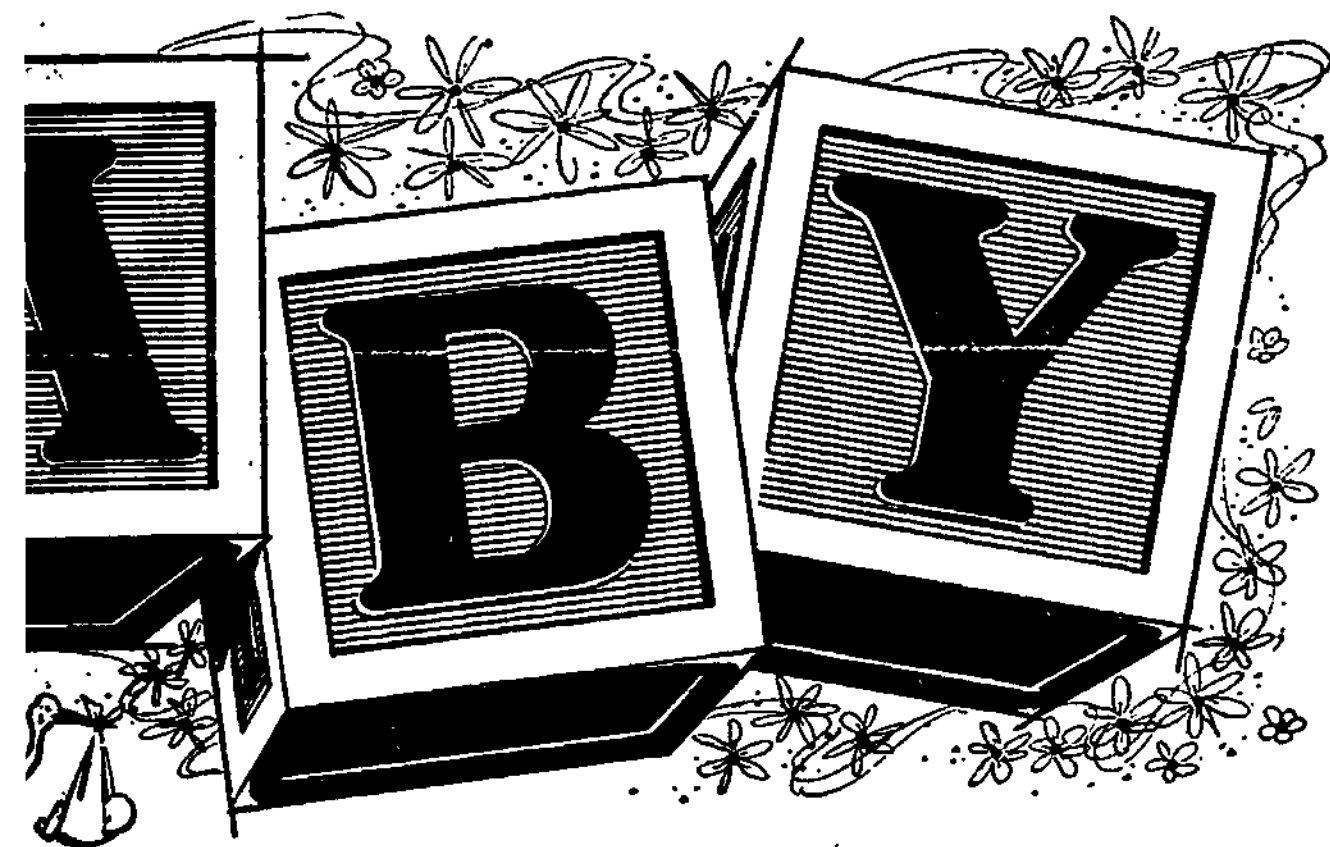
Good Luck, Number One of 1955!

RAY'S DRUGS

5 South Main



THE FIRST BABY OF 1955!



CONTEST RULES:

Operation with 26 Harrisburg merchants, presents the annual Baby Derby, to honor the first baby wonderful gifts have been contributed by these merchants to welcome the Derby winner again this year... gifts for the baby, for mom, and for dad.

Signature to a statement showing the date, hour, minute, and place of birth, sex and weight of the baby.

the name and address of the parents.

of Harrisburg Township only.

The Daily Register as soon as possible. The baby born first after midnight on Jan. 1st, 1955, will Baby Derby, and the parents will be presented with a certificate at the Register, entitling them to Harrisburg merchants. Name of the winner will be announced in The Daily Register.

Our Gift to the Young Winner

We will present a Comb and Brush set in a beautiful lucite case to Harrisburg's first baby in 1955.

We have a large selection of baby needs.

JACKSON'S DRUG STORE

If You Have to Take a Trip

Rainbow's is proud to present an automatic Hanks-craft bottle warmer, to keep baby's bottle warm in the car.

RAINBOW'S

REXALL DRUG STORE
Northwest Corner of the Square

FOR BABY'S CARE

... for mother's convenience, a Johnson's Deluxe Baby Gift Box with all those wonderful Johnson's items for baby's care.

THE WEBSTER PHARMACY

"Your Prescription Store"

For the First Appearance

... here's a plastic ruffled bassinette liner. Fancy, to be sure, but the correct thing for the first baby born in 1955. To the parents, our congratulations and the best of luck in the years ahead.

Petty

FURNITURE and DECORATORS
Phone 747 3 South Jackson



Always A Treasure

... is baby's first ring, and Grant's present is a beautiful solid gold baby ring, with our best wishes for a wonderful future.

W. A. Grant Jewelry Co.



Our Gift

use beautiful Prim hose. will boast to the family in congratulations to the Harrisburg and the proud nts.



For Safety and Comfort

... Mac's presents a "Teddy-Tot" baby car seat. It's the world's safest for baby's car trips, with the best wishes and compliments of

Mac's Car & Home Supply

17 South Main

Phone 17

When the Parents Get Hungry

SIX DELICIOUS BAR-B-QUES

Await Them When They Call to See "Buck."

Nothing so good and appetizing as Buck's Bar-B-Q.

Our Congratulations to the Parents.

BUCK'S BAR-B-Q

620 South McKinley

When Papa Struts Down the Street

We are presenting him with a brand new tie from our huge holiday collection. ... Our best wishes to the new mother and father.

Palace Clothing House

FOR MEN
North Side of the Square

For the Winner ...

To Keep Baby's Bottle Warm During These Cold Days ...

We Will Present a Bottle Warmer

Barter's Rexall Drug Store

Temperature: Just Right!

Here's a Hanks-craft baby bottle warmer for the Derby winner, with the compliments of

SKAGGS ELECTRIC

Who Will Win Our Gift

To the first baby born in 1955, we'll present the proud parents a pair of

IDEAL BABY SHOES
for their little one.

Our compliments.

Fashion Palace

North Side of the Square

USE THE WANT ADS TO BUY TO SELL

Charge Accounts: 15 Cents Per Line For Each Insertion. Minimum Ad Accepted TWO Lines

Phone 224

Special Discount for Cash-with-Order

Phone 224

College Youth Nominated as Junior Achiever

DETROIT (AP)—Young delegates to the Junior Achievement conference today nominated a St. Louis, Mo., college freshman as the Junior Achiever who has achieved the most.

The nomination was unofficial but unanimous for 17-year-old Jerome J. McLaughlin, a freshman at Washington University.

Delegates from 21 Midwestern cities met to elect the Junior Achiever, a contest which is held annually.

Two years ago the respected youth expert in two evening sessions that dispense ball room, two for a profit.

McLaughlin, who had until 1955 been a member of the Junior Achievement club, was elected to the position.

But the prize was poured back into the club, which he owns and operates, to buy more typewriter machines and other equipment.

He also has hired a part-time helper to collect the money and to sell the machines. In addition, he owns and operates a magazine subscription agency, which he has used to help his father's dry goods store.

Feldman also is president of his 15-member Junior Achievement club, which manufactures decorative paper.

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Uphold Firing of Employees Invoking Fifth Amendment

WASHINGTON (AP)—Federal District Judge Charles F. McLaughlin today upheld the right of a company to fire union employees who refuse to answer questions of congressional investigators about Communist ties.

He made the ruling in a case involving the left-wing United Electrical Workers (U. E. W.) and the General Electric Co. The union had charged that GE's policy of firing workers who invoke the Fifth Amendment was a violation of its collective bargaining contract.

McLaughlin said such demands were for "obvious cause" and therefore no violation of the company-union collective bargaining agreement.

The union also had charged that GE officials conspired with staff members of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's investigating subcommittee in formulating the question policy which went into effect Dec. 9.

McLaughlin held that the union failed to prove the alleged conspiracy.

He is scheduled to take off from New York's International Airport (Lidwell) aboard a Super-Constellation of the U. S. Military Air Transport Service. He arrives in London at noon Friday.

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UN Chief Leaves Today to Meet Chinese Premier

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (AP)—Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold leaves today for Peking on a 14,000-mile flight to demand the release of 2,850 United Nations prisoners held by Red China in violation of the Korean armistice agreement.

The face-to-face meeting with Chinese Communist Premier Chou En-Lai was ordered by the General Assembly in behalf of 11 American airmen imprisoned on spy charges. But Hammarskjold said he would seek the release of 2,850 others, of which 526 are American and 2,000 are Koreans.

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(1) Notices

NOTICE OF CLAIM DATE
In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Goodson, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Charles Goodson, deceased, hereby gives notice that Monday, the 7th day of February, 1956, is the claim date for said Estate, and that all claims may be filed against the Estate of the said decedent, on or before said date without issuance of summons.

RALPH BEAN, Administrator.

ROBERT V. WILSON, Attorney for Administrator. 144—Eldorado, Illinois.

In Memoriam
In loving memory of our dear daughter, Miss Ida Marie Carson, who passed away ten years ago to day, Dec. 30, 1944.

The month of December again is here
To us, the saddest of the year, Her loving heart is now at rest, God took her home when he thought best.

When we are done with toil and care We will meet our dear daughter, over there.

Sadly missed by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carrier and family. 155-1

HARRISBURG TRANSFER CO.
Inc.
Ph. 87 day — 1107-W3 night, 702 E. Lost
Moving and storage. 93—

TELEVISION SERVICE: DAY, night, Sun. Fenton Baker, Phone Galatia 48C. 155-30

ANNOUNCING THE OPENING OF the Dorrisville Cleaners, at 905 West Longley. Tel. 148R. Will open Mon. Jan. 3, 1956. Special reacquainted offer, 10 per cent discount — first two weeks Jan. 3 in 15 inclusive. Rev. Otis Wren and Rev. Herbert Thomson, owners. 152-5

TURKEY SHOOT SAT. AND SUNDAY afternoon. Coy Elam. 155-2

TELEVISION SERVICE: DAY, night, Sunday. Fenton Baker, Ph. Galatia 48C. 125-30

Card of Thanks
May we take this method of thanking all those who helped in any way during the sickness and following the death of our husband and father, Mr. A. J. Glass, especially the Rev. Wm. D. Fuson, Ledema Sisk, who played the organ, the Dorrisville quartet that sang at the service. We would like very much to thank the Gibbons funeral home for the help and kindness shown in the time that we needed it most. We also thank the friends and neighbors who sent beautiful flowers, and the pallbearers for their services. We will always remember. The Family. 155-1

(2) Business Services

SEE "SHORTY" ROBSON AT the Irvin Appliance Co. for the best in appliance service and parts. 615 E. Poplar. Ph. 1146. 96-11

PHONE 55
FURNACE CLEANING — GUTTERING — PUMPING, Coal, Oil and Gas: Stokers — Air-Conditioning. City Coal Yard and Tin Shop. 61-11

FOR REFRIGERATION SERVICE, home or commercial, call Owen Disney, Irvin Appliance Co. Day ph. 1146. Night ph. Co. 25722. 133-11

RUGS AND WALL-TO-WALL CARPET cleaning, Gus Schmitz, Ph. 216R. 108-11

TELEVISION, # OUT OF 10 REPAIRED in homes. Cooper TV Co. ph. 766-R. 61-11

Wrecker Service
At Night Call 214-R

Saline Motor Co. "Chevrolet Sales and Service" Phone 62 or 64 Operator, Rodney Myers

SEE SKAGGS ELECTRIC CO., 100 N. Vine, for Sweeper repairs. We repair and service all brands. 61—

RAINBOW'S PRESCRIPTION Drug Store uses only the freshest stock of the finest quality of famous pharmaceutical supplies. Next time sickness strikes your home, bring your prescription to Rainbow's Rexall Drug Store. 107—

ASHES AND RUBBISH HAULED 25¢ week. H. L. Seets, 109 E. McHoney, Ph. 643-R. 155-10

(2-A) Bus. Opportunities

WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE
Opportunity to own your own business. Become one of the more than 3,000 owners of profitable Western Auto Associates stores, retailing famous nationally advertised brands of auto supplies. Good location available. No experience necessary. We will train you. For further information, write or phone Walter Gardner, 701 So. 28th St. Paducah, Ky. Ph. 5-7333. 141-16

(3) For Rent

FROZEN FOOD LOCKERS available. Harrisburg Ice Co. 118-11

(3) For Rent (Cont.)

SET COMPTON'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, baby's play pen, chrome table and chairs, electric heater, striped canopy baby stroller, bassinet. 331 W. Sloan. 155-5

4 ROOM APARTMENT PH. 370R or 427W. 114-11

3 RM. FURNISHED APARTMENT. Good heat, clean, newly decorated. Call 1283 before 8 p.m. 155-3

4 RM. HOUSE AT 14 E. COLLEGE. Inq. 822 S. Main. 153-3

3 RM. APT. ALSO ONE RM. EFFICIENCY. Pickford Flower Shop. 155-1

VARSITY APARTMENT. Modern, 3 room. Dr. E. M. Travelstead. 115-11

4 RM. SEMI-MOD. HOUSE. One mile west on Rt. 13. Ph. 1111R2. Mrs. Barney Ashe, after 5.30 p.m. 155-2

(4) For Sale

ALEMITE LUBRICATION SERVICE. See Frank Owens, Saline Motor Co. 61-11

OR TRADE, USED CARS, TERMS. Mitchell Bros. Garage, Dorrisville. 61-11

HOME FREEZER LOCKER SUPPLIES. Harrisburg Ice Co. 118-11

SAHARA COAL, WASHED AND OILED. Kindling, chat, rock, sand and limestone. Milligan Coal Yard, Ph. 507-W. 85-11

BLUE BIRD COAL, WASHED, oiled, treated. 2 & 6 best. Jackson Ice & Coal, Ph. 258. 85-11

USED WASHERS, ALL MAKES. \$34.95 to \$49.95. \$5 down, \$5 per month, no financing charge. Irvin Appliance Co., 615 E. Poplar. 84-11

BEST COAL.
Screened, hand loaded coal, \$5 ton in 4 to 5 ton orders. Blue Bird washed and oiled stoker coal \$6.50 ton in load lots. C. L. Flannel, Ph. 58F3

APPLES, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. HARRISBURG ICE CO. 118-11

SPECIAL NEW CLOSE OUT PRICE ON NEW G. E. refrigerators. Trade now! Irvin Appliance Co. 140-30

SEWING MACHINES, GOOD SELECTION. All prices from \$14.95 up. Just "sew-as-you-wash" price just for mending. Joe Galt's Used Furniture, 17 S. Vine. 154-11

ACCORDION 120 BASS 5 WKS. old, nine switches, cost \$700, still has guarantee, \$250 or best cash offer immediately. Write Box 5, care Register. 152-10

PLENTY OF HOT WATER WITH Crosley automatic electric water heater. O'Keefe Lumber Co., Carrier Mills. 110—

3 LB. FRYERS 85¢. NO SUNDAY SALES. Phil Gill, Galatia. 154—

3 BEDROOM ALL MOD. HOME. Real bargain, 720 S. Ledford, Ph. 48W. 155-2

YOU SAVE MONEY — YES, you do. — And it's "custom-made" and just for you! You save 135 on every box of RYTEX DECKLE EDGE VELLUM Printed Stationery you buy during this JANUARY SALE at the Registrar Commercial department. For DECKLE 12911.

VELLUM is on sale



Picking the Bowl Winners IN THE Sport Parade

By OSCAR FRALEY
United Press Sports Writer
NEW YORK (AP) — Fraley's Follies and the Jan. 1 bowl game "winners" — or how to start the New Year from scratch without any.

The Rose Bowl
Ohio State over Southern California: This obviously is being played just to give Pasadena a reason to have a parade. Otherwise, this during the regular season is what would have been close to a "breather" for the unbeaten Buckeyes.

Mississippi over Navy: The Mid-dies played a terrific game against Army but the Cadets were lower than a well digger's ankles. It doesn't seem possible that Navy can come up that high again, particularly against the national leader in total defense.

The Sugar Bowl
Arkansas over Georgia Tech: This is strictly a shot in the dark against a favored band of mis-named "Wrecks" who were really rambling at season's end. But my Grandpappy told me a long time ago that if you can't be good, you gotta be lucky. The Razorbacks ain't bad, understand, but they manage more than their share when it comes to making with the ouija board.

The Orange Bowl
Duke over Nebraska: This is another chapter in that Florida-California feud. They argue over sunshine and oranges—and now it's lemons.

The Gator Bowl
Baylor over Auburn: This is another Longshot Louie, especially designed for the Jacksonville horse players who won't have any tracks to attend on Friday night.

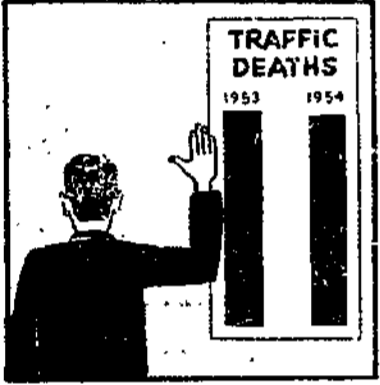
East-West Shrine Game
You pick that one — just to prove you can come up with more winners than I can. One might be just enough.

There is no trace of the use of firearms before 1300 A. D.

Tips on Traffic Safety

By CHARLES F. CARPENTIER
Secretary of State

As the year 1954 draws to a close, we can look back on it with the feeling that we have accomplished a little in Illinois in the field of traffic safety. At the time this is written, the latest statistics indicate that there will be a slight de-



crease in the number of deaths in traffic accidents this year from the 1953 mark.
We are improving, but there is still a lot of room left for further improvement. Last year in this column we suggested that all of us make safer driving one of our New Year's resolutions.
Let's renew that resolution for 1955. Let's resolve to continue the progress we have made this year, and make the new year a safer and happier one for everyone.
A copy of the completely new "Rules of the Road" booklet will be sent to you free upon request. Write to CHARLES F. CARPENTIER, Secretary of State, Springfield, Illinois.

West Frankfort, Edwardsville in Finals



TACKLE TROY—These Ohio State backs will run at Southern California in the Pasadena Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. They are, left to right, Hubert Bobo, Bobby Watkins, Dave Leggett and Howard Cassidy.

North Carolina State Edges Minnesota, 85-84, To Win Dixie Tourney

By United Press
John Maglio, a 6-foot "runt" on a team of giants, stood out as one of the biggest men in college basketball today for his pressurized push shot that meant a tournament title, an unbeaten record, and a shot at top national honors for North Carolina State.

Maglio, a soph from Havertown, Pa., dribbled down the court, turned and pushed a shot through the cords with eight seconds left Wednesday night to give State an 85-84 victory over Minnesota in the finals of the Dixie Classic tournament at Raleigh, N. C.

Texas Christian won another big carnival, the Southwest conference tourney at Houston, and there was semifinal play in several other big holiday shows Wednesday night.

But the State-Minnesota clash topped 'em all in importance, matching the nation's No. 2 team (State) against the No. 20 team, and in chills.

First sub Cliff Hafer of State sank a goal for an 83-82 lead with 34 seconds remaining. Then Dick Garmaker of Minnesota sank a set shot with 16 seconds left and it seemed the Gophers would take the Dixie title out of Dixie for the first time in the tourney's history.

But then Maglio dwarfed by several near-seven foot teammates, took charge for his game-winning basket. Shavlik Top Scorer
Six foot-10 Ronnie Shavlik of State took scoring honors with 32 points and was voted the tourney's "Most Valuable Player" while Garmaker and 6-foot-10 Bill Simonovich had 24 each for Minnesota. Simonovich's fouling out with 1:48 left was a key factor in the final result.

In the same tourney, center Dick

College Scores

By United Press
Hofstra Tournament
Semifinals
Hofstra 115, Delaware 68.
Lafayette 89, Marietta 69.
Consolation
St. Peter's, N. Y. 83, Wagner 71.
New England Tournament
Semifinals
Dartmouth 73, Middlebury 69.
Connecticut 91, Brown 68.
Holiday Festival
Consolation
St. John's, N. Y. 89, Villanova 77.
Niagara 91, Syracuse 70.
Semifinals
LaSalle 85, UCLA 77.
Duquesne 90, Dayton 75.
Sugar Bowl
First Round
Notre Dame 66, Loyola, La. 45.
Holy Cross 89, Bradley 81.

All-American Tournament
Semifinal
Maryland 83, Rhode Island 66.
Cincinnati 82, Evansville 62.
Consolation
Denver 88, Mississippi 81.
Ky. Wesleyan 89, Texas Tech 86.
Virginia Festival
Semifinal
Richmond 84, Virginia Tech 87.
G. Washington 87, Wm. and Mary 73.

Consolation
Boston College 78, Rutgers 75.
Colgate 82, Boston University 73.
Dixie Classic
Consolation
West Virginia 79, Cornell 71.
Wake Forest 93, Southern Cal. 85.

North Carolina 65, Duke 52.
Championship
North Carolina St. 87, Minnesota 84.
Big Seven Tournament
Semifinals
Missouri 95, Oklahoma 87.
Kansas, State 70, Iowa State 60.

Consolation
Colorado 89, Nebraska 45.
California 65, Kansas 62.
Wichita Tournament
First Round
Colorado A&M 65, Miss. South-ern 50.

Southwest Conference Tourney
Championship
Texas Christian 77, Alabama 62.
Consolation
Baylor 89, Texas 75.
Southern Methodist 88, Rice 63.
Arkansas 74, Texas A&M 70.

Wisconsin 66, Princeton 64.
Indiana St. 64, Indiana Central 47.
DePauw 52, Anderson 48.
New York U. 74, Miami, Fla. 67.
Stanford 72, Vanderbilt 64.
Washington & Lee 90, Carn. Tech. 79.

Flabby soft bristles of hair brushes can be stiffened by rinsing in a solution of alum and water after a regular rinsing.

High School Basketball Scores

Harrisburg Tournament
Semifinals
West Frankfort 81, Mt. Vernon 68.
Edwardsville 66, Carbondale 62.
Centralia Tournament
Quarterfinals
Herrin 40, Sparta 31.
Pinckneyville 26, Salem 29.
Collinsville 56, Belleville 52.
Centralia 65, Quincy 48.

Consolation
Champaign 66, Blue Island 61.
Benton 40, Vandalia 38.
Marion 95, Mt. Carmel 62.
Pittsfield 51, Pana 39.

By United Press
East St. Louis Tournament
Consolation Semifinals
Macomb 85, Mattoon 75.
Danville Schlarmann 65, Decatur St. Teresa 51.

Semifinals
Dupro 69, East St. Louis Assump-tion 46.
East St. Louis 61, Madison 39.
Paris Tournament
1st Round
Clinton 73, Flora 61.

Tilden Tech 61, Athens 49.
Sterling Tournament
Championship
Sterling 76, Galesburg 63.

3rd Place
Kewanee on default.
Consolation Final
Ottawa 68, Rock Falls 59.
Waverly Tournament
Semifinals
Kincaid 67, Winchester 65 (ot).
Jerseyville 63, Pawnee 41.

Virginia Tournament
Semifinals
White Hall 41, Virginia 29.
Petersburg 66, Routhouse 31.
Pontiac Tournament
Quarterfinals
Lockport 34, Streator 33.
Alton 72, Bloomington 44.

Washington 48, Bloom Twp. 46.
Pontiac 61, Braidwood 62.
Consolation
Lawrenceville 55, New Trier 46.
Lexington 55, Delavan 39.
Chenoa 55, Robinson 51.
Chester 70, Hillsboro 62.

DeKalb Tournament
Quarterfinals
Sycamore 49, Maple Park 39.
Rockwell 81, Welchman 60.
Oregon 53, Gonsou-Kingston 51.
Glenbard 66, De Kalb 55.

Decatur Tournament
Warrensburg-Latham 77, MI. Zion 47.
DeVator Lakeview 78, Beecher City 47.
Bridgeport Tournament
Championship
Bridgeport 78, Albion 67.

3rd Place
Shelbyville 68, Noble 67.
Arthur Tournament
Championship
Cerro Gordo 77, Lovington 51.

Consolation
Oakland 65, Atwood 53.
Monticello Tournament
Championship
Arcola 66, Roberts-Thawville 64 (2 ot).

Consolation
Urbana 49, Argenta 49.
Semifinals
Arcola 49, Argenta 43.
Roberts-Thawville 55, Urbana 46.

Kankakee Tournament
Cicero Morton 62, Joliet 41.
Wood River 69, Niles 59.
Taylorville 64, Bradley 39.
Lincoln 57, Kankakee 46.
Ottawa Marquette Tournament
Ottawa Marquette 68, DePue 45.
Leland 60, Morris 43.

Illinois Tech Tournament
2nd Round
Dunbar 67, Bowen 42.
Lindblom 67, Roosevelt 54.
Sullivan 58, Phillips 57 (ot).
Lyke View 43, Harrison 42.
Hyde Park 41, Austin 36.
Parker 66, Wells 63.
Carver 60, Calumet 50.
Crane 77, Farragut 71.

Fight Results

By United Press
MIAMI, Fla.: Paul Andrews, 180½, Buffalo, N. Y., stopped Boardwalk Billy Smith, 175, Atlantic City, N. J. (6).

The Daily Register 25¢ a week

Red Birds Shear Rams, 81 to 68; Carbondale Is Eliminated, 66-62

The West Frankfort Red Birds but one time out — by Mt. Vernon last night sheared the powerful Rams of Mt. Vernon 81 to 68, to enter the championship battle against Edwardsville tonight in the Egyptian Holiday tournament at Davenport gym.

Edwardsville sneaked by Carbondale, 66 to 62, in a fit that was anybody's until the closing minute in the other semi-final game last night.

After the first three games in which scores were decisive, the last three have been thrillers, starting with the Harrisburg-Carbondale contest Tuesday night. Last night saw two highly interesting contests and tonight's bill of fare — especially the championship game, should be tops.

Rams Foul Out
Fans who attended saw the unusual in that it was Mt. Vernon that finally went down under the pressure of a close game. It more often is the other way. But in last night's contest all five of the Rams starters fouled out as they tried desperately to stem the Red Bird tide.

Coach George Hubert brought a darkhorse outfit into the tourney and his Red Birds have played the best ball of the meet so far, with enough height, and plenty of speed and balance.

Frankfort played the game without a substitution and Coach Harold Hutchesing substituted only when a man fouled out.

Mt. Vernon took a 12-16 lead in a fast first quarter in which only three fouls were committed.

The lead changed five times in the second period and the half ended 30-29. During the first half there were no substitutions and

Box Scores of Egyptian Tourney

	fg	ft	tp	pf
Mt. Vernon (68)	5	2	12	5
Brookman	2	4	8	5
Deichman	2	4	8	5
Neal	0	4	4	5
Mikeworth	1	0	8	5
J. Graham	11	8	30	5
Hopkins	1	0	2	1
Jewin	0	0	0	3
McCam	1	0	2	1
D. Graham	0	0	0	0
Mendenhall	1	0	2	0
Totals	25	18	63	31

	fg	ft	tp	pf
West Frankfort (81)	6	9	21	4
Dawson	3	3	9	4
McDaniels	3	3	9	4
Kaubach	6	2	14	1
Peeler	6	10	22	3
Florian	6	3	15	4
Totals	27	27	81	15

	fg	ft	tp	pf
Edwardsville (66)	6	6	18	1
Jackson	5	14	24	5
Vaughn	3	2	8	2
Penellon	3	2	8	1
Patton	0	0	0	1
Sasek	0	0	0	1
Pulliam	4	0	8	1
May	0	0	0	4
Totals	21	24	68	15

	fg	ft	tp	pf
Carbondale (62)	2	3	7	5
Kimmel	2	0	4	4
Fenzel	2	0	4	2
Lovell	10	4	24	2
Martin	5	5	15	3
J. Langan	1	4	6	5
M. Langan	0	2	2	0
Lambert	0	0	0	2
Kelly	0	0	0	2
Totals	22	14	62	23

Scores by quarter:
Mt. Vernon 12 18 22 16—68
W. Frankfort 10 20 22 29—81
Officials: Claude Rhodes and Joe Spagnoli.

Edwardsville 13 25 14 11—63
Carbondale 15 13 16 18—62
Officials: Charles Rothchild and Ford Peebles.

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Infantry Chorus Concert at Carbondale Jan. 7

The de Paur Infantry Chorus, most heavily booked concert attraction in American Music history, will perform Jan. 7 in Carbondale under the auspices of the Carbondale Community Concert association.

Conducted by Leonard de Paur, the chorus was organized at Fort Dix, N. J., among Negro members of the 372nd Infantry Regiment in the early days of World War II. It performed in numerous G. I. shows from two jima to Berlin and was continued professionally when its members returned to civilian life. Now, with more than 3000 public appearances to their credit, the 33 choral members sing 180 or more concerts a season. Their repertoire includes music from all parts of the globe, classified as spirituals and work songs, songs of many faiths, songs from World War II, folk songs from Latin America and contemporary songs.

The de Paur concert at 8 p. m. in Southern Illinois university's Shryock auditorium will be the second program sponsored by the Community Concert association, this season.



ARMED MEN—George Shaw, left, of Oregon and California's Paul Larson, two of the nation's passing leaders, are the West's answer to the East's Ralph Guglielmi of Notre Dame in the Shrine Game for Crippled Children in San Francisco on New Year's Day. (NEA)

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HEROIC STAND of French Union troops at Dien Bien Phu, Indo-China, against hopeless odds, electrified the free world. But it was a lost cause and the isolated garrison was overrun by Communist Viet Minh besiegers. Tragic surrender, May 7, was France's death knell in Indo-China.



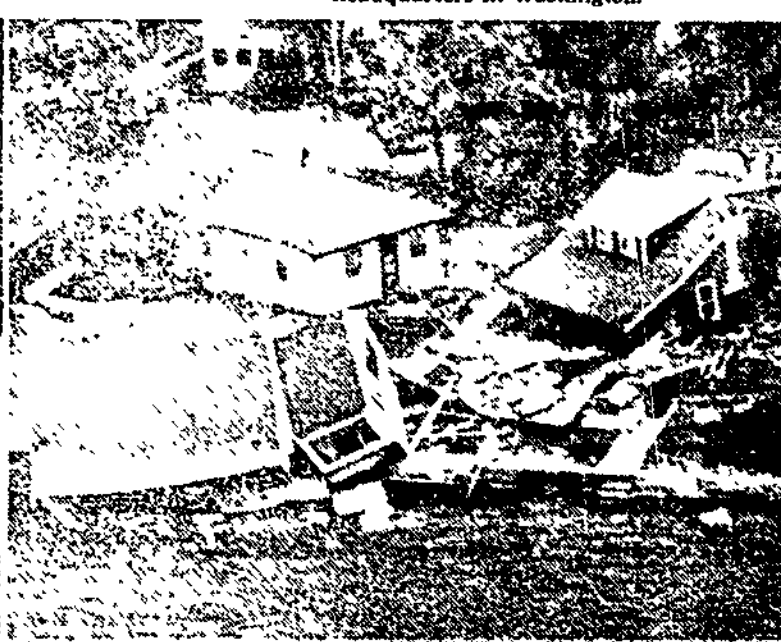
NEW LOOK came to Niagara Falls as a huge slab of rock (right) broke off the lip of Prospect Point and crashed into the abyss. The rock fall was estimated to be at 135,000 tons.



DEATH SEPARATED the world-famous Dionne quintuplets when Emilie died on Aug. 6 at the age of 20. Here three of her surviving sisters, Marie (second from left), Yvonne and Cecile listen to the burial service at Corbeil, Ontario. Almost from childhood Emilie had been ill from epilepsy and periodically was stricken with seizures. She died after suffering three successive fits.



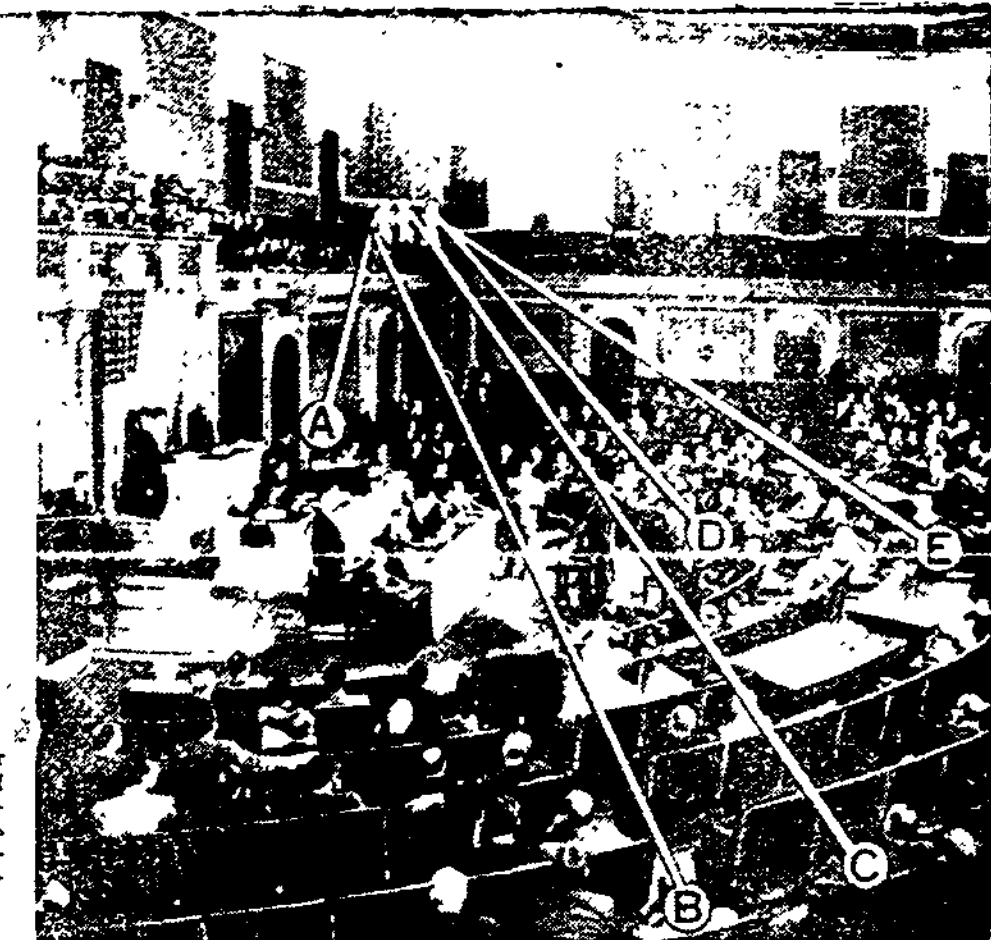
BIGGEST BLAST of the war was revealed when government forces exploded a bomb on a beach in the Marshall Islands in 1952. The blast was so powerful it caused a crater about 100 yards across and 100 feet deep.



HURRICANE SEASON was lively. Last of eight major blows—Hurricane Hazel—was the worst. It killed 82 persons, caused half a billion dollars damage in the U.S., killed 100 in Haiti; killed 66 in Canada. This scene, at Onset, Mass., was typical.



HEADLINE MURDER of the year was the July 4th bludgeoning of Marilyn Reese Sheppard in Bay Village, Ohio. Charged and tried was the victim's husband, youthful, socially prominent Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard, osteopathic neuro-surgeon.



SHOCKING THE COUNTRY was the shooting down of five congressmen in the House of Representatives by three fanatical Puerto Rican nationalists. Photo diagram shows where bullets struck Reps. Ben F. Jensen (A); Kenneth A. Roberts (B); George H. Fallon (C); Alvin M. Bentley (D); and Clifford Davis (E). All the wounded congressmen recovered. The assassins were captured.



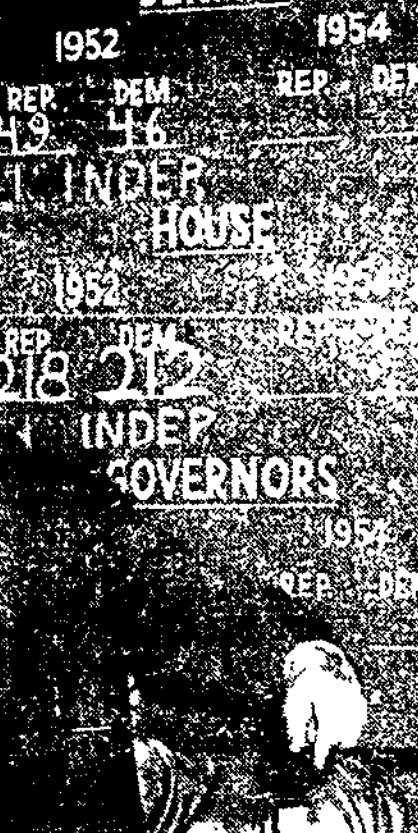
HER MAJESTY, Britain's Queen Mother Elizabeth, captivated American crowds wherever she went during her October visit to this country and Canada. Her graciousness, informality and warmth made her a most successful "good-will" ambassador for her country.



BUST-UP OF THE YEAR won national headlines when Movie Star Marilyn Monroe and her husband, baseball's Joltin' Joe DiMaggio announced their divorce. They presented sad faces to newsmen.



NO LANDSLIDE for either party was the 1954 election although each had predicted one. Democrats barely edged out (49-47) Republicans in the Senate and won control of the House by 29 seats. Here President Eisenhower and GOP National Chairman Leonard Hall prepare to check election returns at GOP headquarters in Washington.



CONTROVERSIAL is the word for Wisconsin's Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy whose feud with Army Secretary Robert Stevens in public hearings made headlines all summer. Near year's end, McCarthy was still on Page One, thanks to the squabble over censuring him. That's Roy Cohn at right.



HISTORY-MAKING decision of the U. S. Supreme Court that racial segregation is unconstitutional had widespread repercussion throughout the nation.



RED FOOTHOLD in Western Hemisphere was erased when Communist-controlled Arbenz regime of Guatemala was ousted. Here anti-Red troops guard headquarters of new president, Col. Carlos Castillo Armas.



HISS: HE CAME OUT FIGHTING

FURGOL: WON U.S. OPEN

BRICKER: PLAN STILL ALIVE

DR. J. E. SALK: HOPE IN POLIO

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HEMINGWAY: A NOBEL MAN

FIRST TO DIE FROM H-BOMB

OPPENHEIMER: TOO RISKY

WILSON: HE'S DOG FANCIER

VISHINSKY: FEW MOURN